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## ULTIMATUM ISSUED TO CHINESE AT KAILU

### AUSTRIA ARMS FIND STRONG ANGLO-FRENCH NOTE ALLEGED INDIGNATION IN ITALY

Rome, Feb. 18.  
Great indignation has been aroused in Italy by the publication of a report in the *Giornale D'Italia*, Mussolini's organ, from its Paris correspondent, alleging that France, with the adherence of Britain, has sent Austria an unusually strong Note regarding arms movements.  
It is stated that the Note was despatched as a result of the discovery made that a large number of rifles and machine-guns had been sent to the Austrian arms factory at Hirtenburg from Italy for re-conditioning.  
The Paris correspondent declares that the French Note voices the allegation that these arms were intended for the secret arming of Austrian Fascists.  
The Note is said to demand that the arms be sent back to Italy or destroyed and a sworn assurance to the effect that such action has been taken given to the British and French representatives.—*Reuter*.

### SHANGHAI WAR TRAGEDY NAVAL MEMORIAL SERVICE

(Special to "Telegraph")  
Shanghai, Feb. 18.  
Memorial services were held yesterday at the Hungkiao Cemetery by Captain Drew, the commander of H.M.S. Suffolk and officers of the same ship, together with a detachment of sailors, in commemoration of the deaths of Able Seaman H. A. Francis and Able Seaman H. G. Prior, who were on duty on Hongkew Wharf when a Chinese three-inch shell, aimed at a P. and O. steamer mistaken for a Japanese transport exploded.  
They were the first foreign fatalities in the Shanghai "War."  
Their shipmates aboard the Suffolk were greatly grieved by their loss and laid wreaths on their graves yesterday to show that they have not forgotten.—*Reuter*.

### OFFICER "SPY" SENSATION

G.C.M. DATE NOT YET FIXED  
London, Feb. 17.  
The War Office announces that the officer under arrest in the Tower of London is Lieutenant N. Baillie-Stewart, of the Seaforth Highlanders, who will be charged with committing breaches of the Official Secrets Act.  
He will be tried by General Court Martial, but the date has not yet been fixed.—*Reuter*.

### BRITISH RETAIL PRICES SLIGHT DECREASE REPORTED

London, Feb. 17.  
On February 1st, the average level of retail prices of commodities was approximately 41 per cent. above the level of July, 1914, as compared with 42 per cent. one year earlier, and 47 per cent. one



Picture shows the ruins of Chinese barracks at Nanling, after a bombardment. There was a further brush between the Japanese and Chinese in this locality yesterday.

### SUICIDE AT G.C.H.

MR. SHAND FOUND DEAD  
The death occurred under tragic circumstances this morning of Mr. J. T. Shand, assistant apothecary in the Medical Department, who was found lying dead at his desk in the dispensary of the Government Civil Hospital.  
It was shortly before nine o'clock that a hospital attendant had occasion to go into the dispensary, and on entering the room he saw Mr. Shand lying across the desk at which he usually worked. An examination showed that Mr. Shand was dead. The police were later called in, and as the result of investigation they state the circumstances of the death indicate the probability of suicide by poisoning.  
The late Mr. Shand joined the Government service in 1924, prior to which he was for several years employed by The Pharmacy. He was 39 years of age.  
The deceased leaves a widow and two children, with whom much sympathy will be felt.

### MR. ROOSEVELT IN NEW YORK

PLATOONS OF POLICE GUARDS  
(Special to "Telegraph")  
New York, Feb. 17.  
Mr. Franklin Roosevelt's return to New York was marked by the most elaborate precautions.  
A crowd of about a thousand welcomed him at Jersey City where five hundred police and detectives immediately surrounded him and escorted him to the ferry for Manhattan Island, where two hundred police conducted him by a secret route to his home.—*Reuter*.

### MOUNT EVEREST EXPEDITION

LEADERS FLYING TO INDIA  
London, Feb. 17.  
The three Puma Moth aeroplanes piloted by leaders of the British Mount Everest Expedition, which flew from England to Lyons yesterday, continued their journey to India to-day.  
They flew to Marseilles this morning and later left for Saranzana in Italy.—*British Wireless*.

### CONCERT CANCELLED

Owing to the sudden illness of two of the principal performers, the M.C.L. concert at the Cathedral Hall this afternoon has been cancelled.

### NEW MORATORIUM FOR GERMANY

BANK "STANDSTILL" AGREEMENT.  
Berlin, Feb. 17.  
The standstill agreement in regard to Germany's short-term debts has, after long negotiations, been prolonged for a year from February 28, when the existing agreement expires.—*Reuter*.

### TOBACCO PREFERENCE

NEW ORDER BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT  
Under a resolution which is to be introduced in the Legislative Council, and which has already been given the full force of law under an order made by the Governor, Empire tobacco, cigars and cigarettes are to be given a preference of approximately ten per cent.

### TEN PER CENT.

EMPIRE ORIGIN DEFINED  
For the purpose of the resolution, tobacco is deemed to be of "Empire Origin" if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports to have been grown and consigned from the British Empire, which for the purposes of this Table shall be deemed the United Kingdom, the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, the Irish Free State, Newfoundland, India including Burma any British Colony, any territory under His Majesty's protection, the Mandated territories of Tanganyika, or Cameroons under British Mandate, or Togoland under British Mandate.  
EMPIRE MANUFACTURE.  
Tobacco shall be deemed to be of "Empire Manufacture" if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports to have been substantially manufactured in and consigned from the British Empire, as defined above: Provided that no tobacco shall be deemed to be substantially manufactured within the British Empire unless, in the opinion of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports, at least one quarter of its value is the result of (Continued on Page 16.)

The name of Dr. Tai Hon-shan, Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery of the University of Edinburgh, has been added to the list of medical practitioners.  
A bankruptcy notification states that a second and final dividend of \$4.10 per cent. has been declared in the case of the Kwong Mei-shing rice merchants of ASA, Benkan.

### FIRST THREAT OF HOSTILITIES BEING IGNORED BY THE CHINESE

PEKING, FEB. 18.  
A CHINESE OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE REPORTS THAT THE JAPANESE COMMANDER AT TUNGSHIAO HAS DELIVERED AN ULTIMATUM TO THE CHINESE COMMANDER AT KAILU, IN THE NORTH-EAST CORNER OF JEHOL, ONE OF THE POINTS OF THE INTENDED INVASION, ORDERING HIM TO EVACUATE THE CITY IMMEDIATELY, OTHERWISE HE WILL BE ATTACKED.  
THE CHINESE HAVE DECIDED TO IGNORE THE THREAT.—*Reuter*.

### MANCHUKUO ALREADY DOOMED "SPECTATOR'S" VIEWS JAPAN UNEQUAL TO VENTURE

(Special to "Telegraph")  
London, Feb. 17.  
The fate of Manchukuo is already sealed in the view of the majority of the week-end reviews.  
The effect of the League resolution, which the United States certainly, and the U.S.S.R. probably, will endorse is that there will be no government in the world which will recognise Manchukuo as an independent State, says the *Spectator*.  
No money market would countenance the lifting of a Manchukuo loan, while, in the circumstances, the likelihood of money for Manchukuo being forthcoming from either official or private Japanese sources is small, according to this journal.  
POWERFUL WEAPON.  
This, it is pointed out, emphasizes the value of one weapon which the League can always bring into play without going to the length of discussing active sanctions.  
Meanwhile, the League clearly cannot content itself with voting for the Committee of Nineteen's Report and Recommendations and then washing its hands of the matter.  
MAIN OBJECTS.  
There are two main objects to be attained.  
The first is the establishment of a regime in Manchuria based upon an agreement between China, Japan and the League and owing nothing to the support of Japanese bayonets.  
The second necessity is the restoration of relations of normal cordiality between Japan and the League.  
For the moment, Japan may prevail in Manchukuo and Jehol, but it seems inevitable that Japan will prove unequal to the adventure.  
Meanwhile, the *Spectator* urges all States to prohibit the export of all classes of munitions to Japan.—*Reuter*.

### LEAGUE PUBLISHES REPORT NOTABLE TRIUMPH FOR LYTTON MISSION VERDICT AGAINST JAPAN

Geneva, Feb. 17.  
The Committee of Nineteen's Report was issued for publication to-day and it marks a notable triumph for the Lytton Report.  
Practically the whole of the Lytton Report is embodied in the Committee's Report in some form or other.  
It opens with the first eight chapters of the Lytton Report, which it describes as a balanced, impartial and detailed statement of the historical background.  
Then follows a very complete historical review of events since September 18, 1931, when the Japanese captured Mukden.  
Proceeding, it details the League's attempts to curtail the conflict, citing various League resolutions, together with the League Covenant, the Kellogg Pact and the Nine-Power Treaty, upon which its ultimate recommendations are based.  
TEN PRINCIPLES.  
The recommendations quote textually the Lytton Report including the ten principles laid down in Chapter Nine. These principles will be the guiding lines for the Negotiation Committee (which, however, is never likely to operate).  
The Report throughout emphasizes that the sovereignty of Manchuria belongs to China and that it has been infringed by Japan.  
It insists upon the rectification of this infringement by the withdrawal of Japanese troops and so on.  
NO RECOGNITION.  
While the recommendations do not provide for a mere return to the status quo of September, 1931, they exclude the maintenance and recognition of Manchukuo as incompatible with the fundamental principles of international obligations and lasting peace in the Far East.  
It is added fellow members of the League will continue not to recognise this regime either *de jure* or *de facto*.  
15,000 WORD DOCUMENT.  
The Report been prepared in accordance with Article 15, Paragraph 4, of the League Covenant, following the failure of the committee to effect a settlement by conciliation, under paragraph 3 of (Continued on Page 16.)



The Earl of Lytton.

### ARMAMENT WORD WAR

FRANCO-GERMAN CLASH  
SPIRITED DEBATE AT GENEVA  
(Special to "Telegraph")  
Geneva, Feb. 17.  
France and Germany diplomatically crossed swords at to-day's meeting of the Disarmament Conference.  
The clash developed when the French proposal for the standardisation of European Continental arms, with short service and limited effectiveness, was debated.  
M. Pierre Cot, the French delegate, alluded to associations in certain countries which though legal might do much to foster the military spirit.  
Dr. Nodolny, the chief German delegate, disagreed that standardisation was a necessary condition of a reduction of armaments.  
He said that Germany was being asked to transform her army. This, he demanded a close examination. In the meantime, he declined to admit any shadow of reproach against his country.—*Reuter*.

### GERMAN DEBT AGREEMENT

BREATHING SPACE ONLY  
Berlin, Feb. 17.  
The short-term debts involved in the new Standstill Agreement amounted approximately to \$185,000,000, at par.  
The agreement is the result of three weeks' work in conference. Two documents have been issued, namely, the report of the Foreign Creditors Standstill Committee and the German Credit Agreement, 1933.  
The first emphasises that the standstill is not a cure but gives a breathing space for more permanent action.

### FIRST ELECTRIC EXPRESS

BETWEEN LONDON BIRMINGHAM  
London, Feb. 17.  
Britain's first electric express train, called the Armstrong Shell Express, which is running between London and Birmingham in connexion with the British Industries Fair, which opens on Monday follows the route of the first express train to run to London 95 years ago.  
The maximum speed attained during the journey is 70 miles hourly, but the schedule allows two hours and seven minutes for the 112 miles journey with a 17-minute stop at Birmingham.

### PRESSURE ON JAPAN

EARL OF LYTTON'S THREE STEPS  
LEAGUE POWER  
STUDENTS' WRONG IMPRESSION  
London, Feb. 17.  
The Earl of Lytton's views on the ability of the League to bring pressure upon Japan in the event of a rejection of the Assembly's recommendations were not correctly represented in the summary of his remarks given on Wednesday.  
A reference to his remarks to Japanese students in London was made by the Earl in the course of a speech at the Albert Hall, Manchester, to-night.  
"I would like to refer," he said, "to the report which appeared in some London papers (and newspapers in the Far East) of some remarks of mine to the Japanese Students' Association.  
INACCURATE IMPRESSION.  
"It was a private meeting and no representatives were present. The summary must have been obtained from someone at the dinner.  
"Though I have no objection to the publication of the remarks, for I said nothing which I would not say in the hearing of the whole world, yet the manner in which I was reported conveyed an inaccurate impression of what I said.  
"I was asked a number of questions to which I replied. My replies were pieced together so as to give the idea of a connected statement, but the questions to which I was replying were omitted.  
DESIRE TO CORRECT.  
"I am not complaining that anything was attributed to me which I did not actually say, yet the impression created by the report was that I expressed the opinion that if the Report and recommendations of the League Assembly were ignored, there was no further action which the League could take.  
"That is certainly not my opinion. I want to take this opportunity of correcting that impression.  
"If either of the parties to the dispute refuses to accept the proffered assistance of the League and acts in a manner contravening the Covenant, then the resources of the League are by no means exhausted.  
WAR NO REMEDY.  
"I did express the view that going to war to enforce peace seemed to me to be no remedy and I also said that a universal economic blockade cutting off all exports from Japan was not only cruel in operation because it would penalise the innocent population rather than the transgressing government, but that it would almost certainly precipitate an actual state of war."  
"But," added the Earl of Lytton, "there are many other forms of pressure which could be exercised, such as an embargo upon the sale of arms or a refusal of financial assistance to a defaulting State or the withdrawal of diplomatic representatives.  
DECISION OF GOVERNMENTS.  
"I am not saying that any of these steps should be taken present, or at any particular stage, because obviously it must be for the responsible governments to decide the time and the manner of exercising pressure.  
"I only want to make it clear that I do not exclude these from the steps which may be taken if and when it becomes necessary.—*Reuter*.  
A Proclamation by H.M. the Governor orders the Factories and Works shops Ordinances to come into force.

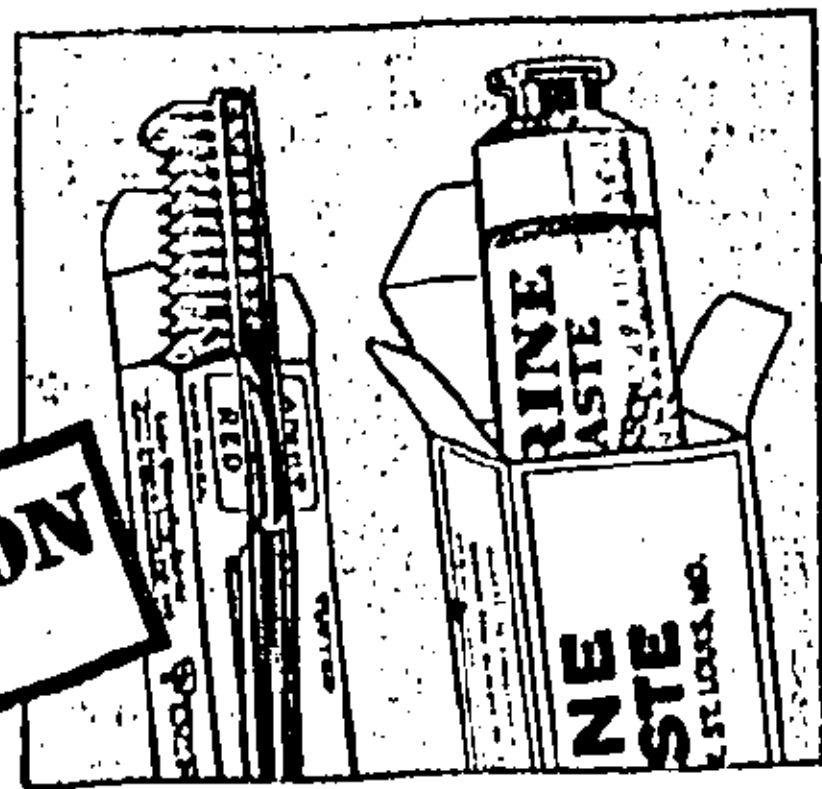


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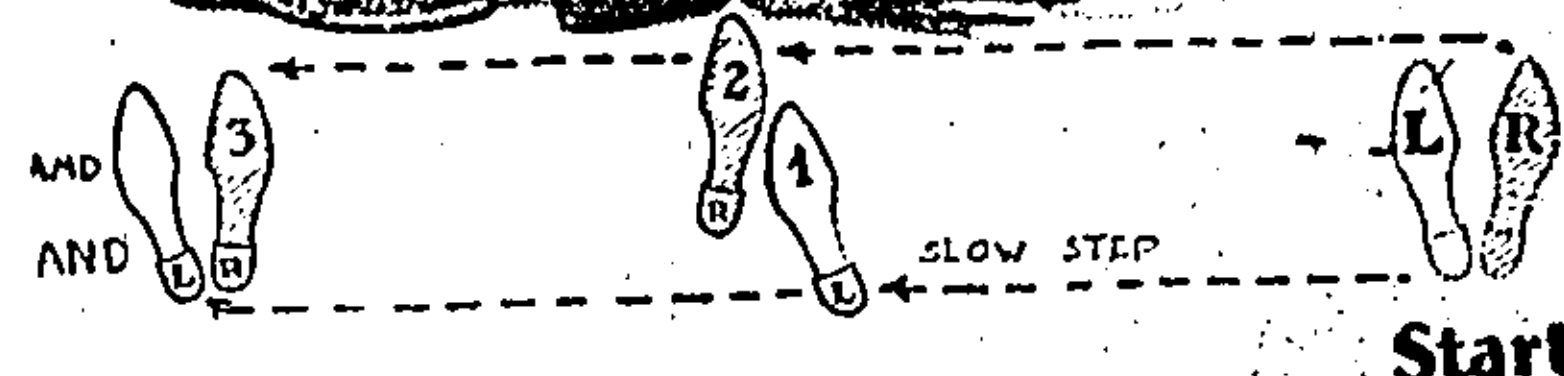
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By Arthur Murray  
New York.—The dance craze of the season is the tango. There are two tangos, the Argentine tango and the French tango. Today we will learn the French tango. It really is a modified form of the native tango, a much more sophisticated dance than the Argentine, the tango that the majority of adults dance.

The Chassez gives the rocking steps, which distinguish the French tango. It combines slow and quick steps, rocking on the slow ones.

Plant both your feet firmly on the ground for all the tango steps. Your body rocks, in undulating motion and you need good balance on firm feet.

Hold your partner about six inches away from you for the French tango. All steps are taken in closed position in the French tango. Take your steps sideways. The man has his back to the centre of the room and goes left. The woman faces the centre of the room and goes sideways to the right. This is how the man does the Chassez, the woman reverses feet, using her right where he uses the left.

1. Take a long slow step with left foot to left side, as shown in the diagram.

2. Cross right foot in front of left; weight on right foot "and" step with left foot to left side.

3. Draw right foot up to left.

4. Repeat this movement three more times, making four in all, doing the first step slowly; the last three quickly, with animation.

It is on the slow steps that you rock, but do not exaggerate it. Smoothness, an easy undulating motion is the acid test of an ex-



Boots Mallory, Fox Film Star, who made her debut in Walking Down Broadway, with James Dunne, soon to be seen at the King's Theatre.

### TO-DAY'S RECIPES.

#### Suggestions for Tea.

Sandwiches cut in fancy shapes with a pastry cutter. The fillings, which should not be put in so lavishly that they spread all over fingers and faces, might be of apricot jam, home-made potted meat, minced figs, dates, and chopped nuts.

Jellies in individual glasses; raspberry flavour is a favourite, and adds a touch of colour to the table.

Trifle, made with pineapple juice instead of sherry; different kinds of jelly whisked up and decorated with glass cherries; junket, if the small children are in the majority; a chocolate log cake; little orange-flavoured buns with water icing flavoured with orange; home-made cream buns; little Swiss rolls, and sponge buns with plain icing.

Dainty sweet biscuits—obtainable in great variety this year. Plates of these are a decorative addition to the table, and so are bon-bon dishes filled with sweets.

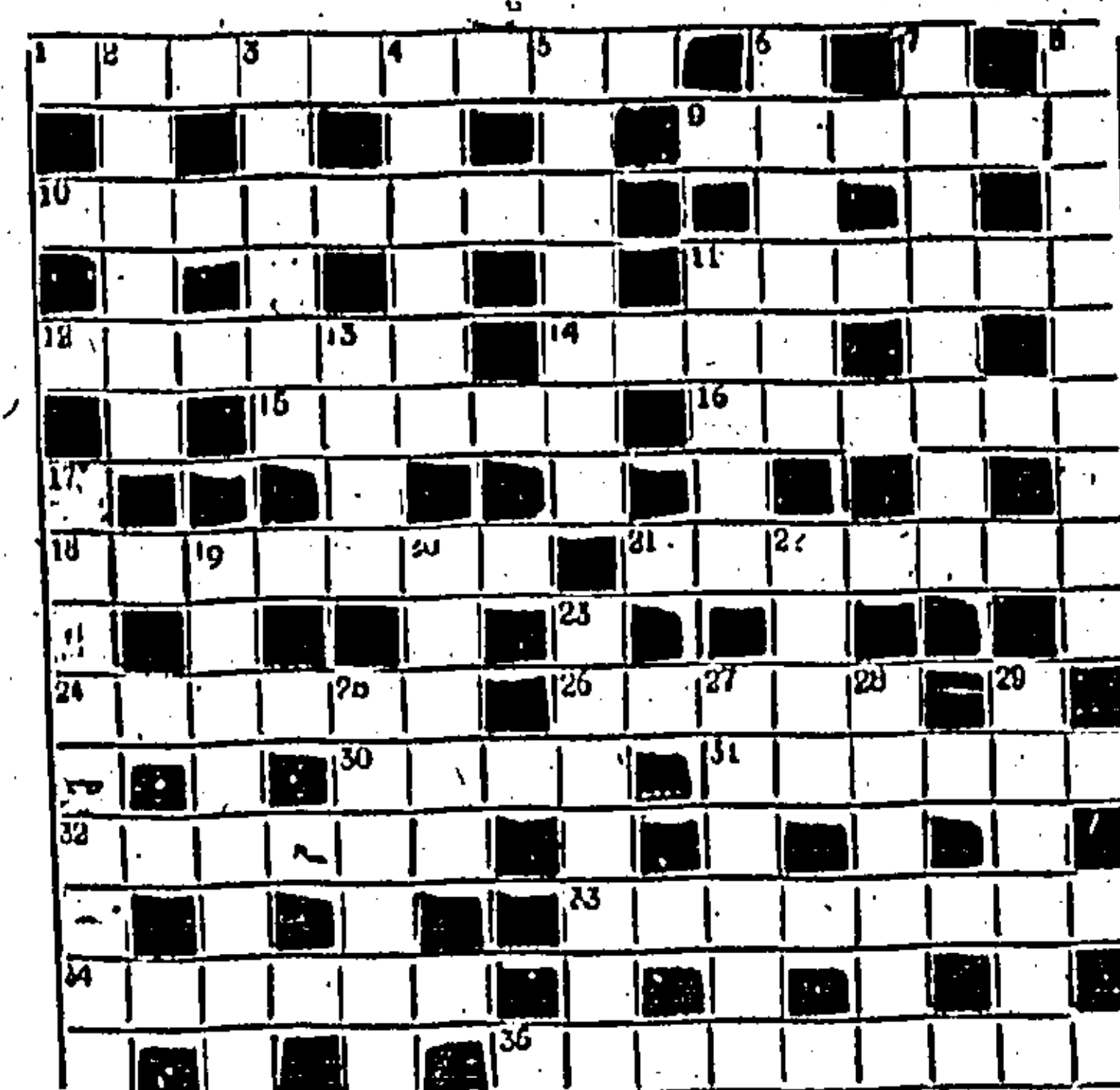
#### A Secure Envelope

Envelopes are sometimes disappointing, and refuse to remain securely fastened. Where this is the case, seal it with white of egg; treated in this way, it cannot be slipped open.

cellent French tango dancer. Repeat the Chassez four times to the left, turn and go left again, if you are the man, keeping the woman about six inches in front of you so that your cross-steps won't interfere. She continues to the right, after the turn, repeating this Chassez.

Your music will tell you when these Chassez steps start, when to turn and start the series of four again. But girls must practise alone quite as much as men, for unless each partner knows the steps by heart, it is impossible for the best tango dancer in the world to manage. Practise, before a mirror, arms high, until you could tango in your sleep.

### OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



#### Across

- 1 The wife of Tiberius, whose ends form her father.
- 9 A tradesman who would in well equipped to hang his harp on a weeping-willow tree.
- 10 The coosied one becomes distinctly peevish.
- 11 Bets about the R.E. and forms shields for heads.
- 12 In the twinkling of an eye, in other words.
- 14 Flower.
- 15 The crab is on the table, as Edith put it there for fun. It exonerates Edgar so nicely (hidden).
- 16 Town in Gloucestershire.
- 18 Sh. Speak softly here, please.
- 21 A mountain that sounds as though it had been—as indeed it has.
- 24 What the dutiful diarist does daily.
- 26 Hidden in Clue 15.
- 30 Fish.
- 31 As the feast of first fruits returns, Sam is faced with something that is bad from a French viewpoint.
- 32 Ordain (anag.).
- 33 A twister from South America.
- 34 You may take this as cut.
- 35 She may easily make you lose a quid.

#### Down

- 2 These imply hosts.
- 3 Heard.
- 4 A staple product.
- 5 Abounding in open spaces. You may consider this hard—so you will be pleased to learn that though this may also abound in open spaces, it may be

- 7 Stop by the river crossing in Devon.
- 8 Always a prominent American.
- 11 Hidden in Clue 15.
- 13 What he who sows may expect to reap.
- 17 What the vacuum cleaner acquires with much that is indicative of grief.
- 19 If you want knowledge, this is inside.
- 20 Hidden in Clue 15.
- 22 A classic mount.
- 23 May suggest economy but cannot always enforce it.
- 25 Considered dear by writers at one time.
- 27 Biblical house.
- 28 This may give relief.
- 29 Though this carriage is now seldom used in England it may be seen any day in Bavaria.

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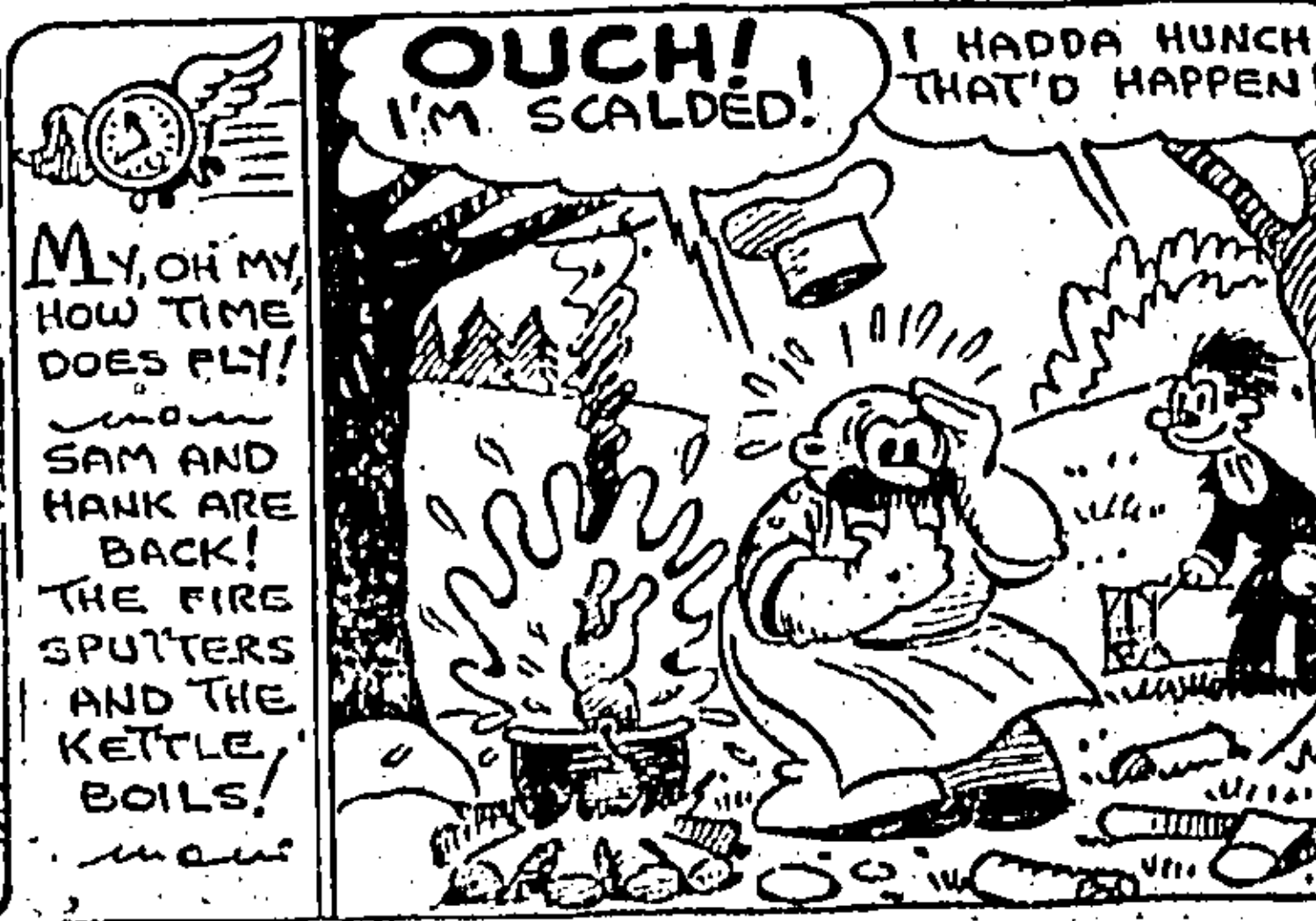
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# SPOTLIGHT

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SHEILA SHAYNE, 18, whose parents were well known vaudeville actors, is in New York looking for work. Sheila is a dancer. She has spent almost her entire life on the stage, first travelling with her parents, now dead, and later in vaudeville and road shows. Sheila lives at MA LOWELL'S theatrical rooming house.

MYRT, a vaudeville performer also out of work, lives there, too. Over the breakfast table one morning Sheila confides to Myrt that her great ambition is to marry and have a home like those she has seen in small towns in which she has played. Ma Lowell interrupts them to announce that a telephone call has come for Sheila. It is an offer for her to fill in for DICK O'LEASON, another dancer, who has sprained her ankle. Sheila agrees and sets off for JOE PARIS' office to rehearse.

At about the same time two wealthy young men, TREVOR LANE and DICK STANLEY, are discussing plans for the party Lane is to give that night. They decide to go to Paris' office to hire some entertainers. They arrive while DICK BRADY, dance instructor, is teaching Sheila the new routine. Stanley sees her dancing and is impressed with her skill and beauty.

### CHAPTER V.

Joe Paris moved toward the practice rooms followed by the other two men. "Miss Shayne is booked at Jackson Heights to-night," he said.

Without preamble Joe opened the door. This time there was no halting of step or cessation of the music. It was Joe, the great Paris, and welcome indeed! Joe's presence in a practice room always meant something. Sheila continued with the difficult routine. She was dancing beautifully.

Her eyes met Dick Stanley's as, without stopping, she glided swiftly down the room. She smiled guardedly, a trifle mischievously. So he was a friend of Joe's! Maybe he had brought Joe back. Maybe he was a producer! She decided against this almost immediately, tapping energetically, skimming like a bird across the room, breaking into kicks, tapping again. It wasn't that the newcomer was too young to be a producer! They could be as young as they pleased, providing they had money. This young man was too interested in the things about him. He didn't look bored. And a producer has to learn very early to look bored and unimpressed if he doesn't want to be beleaguered by would-be hangers-on at every turn.

Sheila didn't think the other man was a producer either. Had he been filling the cast of a show he would have watched her for a few minutes and then disappeared. Instead he was talking to Joe and beckoning to Bill Brady.

It was clear however that Sheila was the subject of the conversation. Tapping, whirling twirling like a flower in brisk wind, she smiled gently, eyes on the ceiling, and danced on.

"This girl's a real dancer," Bill began affably. And again Sheila smiled. Not five minutes before, when she had muffed a turn, Bill had called her hopeless. Five minutes more and he would make her the world's leading danseuse. That was show business for you. Timmy reached the end of the theme and began again but Bill cut in briskly. "That's all. Tim, You, Shayne—come here!"

She was going to meet Joe Paris! He had noticed her! Equally marvelous, she was going to meet this boy who had been watching her. She must look a sight now, her hair every which way, her face beaming. With a crumpled little handkerchief Sheila attempted to repair the ravages of the last two hours. What a moment to come face to face with any young man!

"Well, if he likes me this way he'll like me dressed up. That's one comfort," she thought despairingly. Oddly it did not occur to her to wonder if Joe Paris liked her—Joe, whose approbation could mean instant recognition.

Bill was beaming at her as though she were one of his own prize pupils and drew her into the circle.

"Miss Shayne, Joe, Miss Shayne, Mr. Lane, and—er, your friend there—I didn't catch the name? Oh, yes, Stanley! Mr. Stanley, Sheila." Bill's voice was important. His eyes were on Joe Paris' face.

"Shayne," repeated Joe meditatively, acknowledging the girl's bow with a curt nod. "Shayne. You're Johnny Diamond's daughter, aren't you? How come you changed your name?"

"I wanted to make good on my own, Mr. Paris." Her voice was trembling. "I didn't want managers to hire me or agents to book me on my parents' account. You see, if I got anywhere I want it to be because I am a dancer, not because my mother and father were."

The big man nodded approvingly. "Still that doesn't keep you from inheriting Johnny's spunk," he said reflectively. "And you can dance all right. You're good!"

"Good! You can dance all right." Such words as those from Joe Paris! If Joe troubled to praise a routine it meant something. Always considerate, always helpful to an actor in trouble

or a down-and-out, Joe never scattered undue praise.

"The kindest thing," he would repeat firmly and frequently, "the kindest thing you can do for some of them is to send them back to the five-and-dime stores. But if they are good, tell them so!"

Bill glowed at the tribute. "Mr. Lane, here," he said, indicating that gentleman, "is looking for talent."

Sheila's eyes widened expectantly.

"For a party he's giving this evening."

The girl's face fell.

"We thought perhaps you'd dance for him," Joe Paris added. "Just a number or two. I know you're booked with Roscoe Moody at Glenison's place."

Sheila showed her surprise. So Joe Paris knew that! That he had known her father did not seem so unusual as did this exciting bit of news.

"We are playing Jackson Heights," Sheila murmured in confusion. "I've been resting lately. I'm—well, pretty stiff."

Joe grinned broadly. If he thought sore muscles a joke, Sheila decided, it must be because he had never experienced them. Or had he?

"Mm," Joe said, while Bill stood by attentively and the others remained silent. "Jackson Heights. That's Bailey's theatre? Well—you could make it in a taxi. After the show. Just a number or so. Is that right, Lane? Or a song?"

Bill leaned forward confidently, though his lowered voice reached and was meant to reach every corner in the room. "Shayne puts over a song number in great style."

Dick Stanley's pleading eyes met the girl's for an instant as she wavered.

"I would like to accommodate you," she began, then added hastily, "but I haven't been dancing. I'll be awfully tired I'm afraid."

"You seem in excellent practice," Trevor Lane began politely.

"It's not that!" Sheila flushed. "I may be too stiff by that time to dance well. Maybe you've ridden horseback—and know how difficult it is!" She laughed ruefully. "Perhaps some other time!"

Her heart was pounding, saying loudly, "You little fool! Why are you refusing? Mr. Stanley will be there! You'll see him. Maybe he will take you home. Tell him you'll be glad to fill in." "We pay 50—" "Seventy-five!" announced Dick



briskly, slyly nudging Trevor. "And," grinning boyishly, "we guarantee you an awfully good time. For you'll stay for the party of course!"

This, she knew, was irregular. Unbusinesslike. They got things from you they didn't pay for—extra songs, maybe dances, even a lesson or so. The men gathered around, considering a chorus girl fair prey. The girls snubbed you if you were good-looking, or if you were clever they said catty things.

No, the wisest thing was to keep away. Still \$75 is \$75—a full wardrobe with careful buying! A new evening gown, new hat, new suit, shoes!

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"I'm sorry. I'd love to some other time. It's awfully nice of you to ask me."

"Some other time, then," Trevor Lane said simply. He did not appear even vaguely disturbed. Dick Stanley looked crest-fallen. Joe Paris regarded her doubtfully and Bill glared.

"Can't I persuade you," Dick asked in a low tone as the others moved away.

"No, really I can't do it. Not to-night."

"Suppose I leave the telephone number with the girl? Will you use it if you change your mind?"

She shook her head. "No. Well, maybe. Yes, leave it. But don't be disappointed."

"Please change your mind. I'll expect to hear from you."

Why hadn't he asked for her telephone number, Sheila wondered as he disappeared in the direction of the others. Didn't he know she had burned her bridges? That she couldn't telephone him now? He thought he could find her in the telephone book, perhaps. As if she could afford her own apartment in these days!

Sheila sighed. An opportunity had vanished. But work remained.

Doggedly she went into the routine, her clicking heels beating out the rhythm as faithful Timmy played.

(To be continued.)

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The Sanitary Board desires specially to draw the attention of the public to the danger from small-pox which is very prevalent at the present time and to the fact that full protection from the disease is afforded by vaccination. The public is invited to take advantage of the facilities for free vaccination which are available at all Government Hospitals, Chinese Hospitals and Public Dispensaries as well as at the Government Vaccination Centre adjoining the Harbour Office.

J. H. GELLING,  
 Secretary, Sanitary Board.  
 Hongkong, 16th February, 1933.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on Saturday, the 25th February, 1933, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1932.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 13th February, to Saturday, the 25th February, 1933, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

V. M. GRAYBURN,  
 Chief Manager.  
 Hongkong, 6th February, 1933.

### HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the EIGHTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF THE HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, 1933, at the BOARD ROOM of the Company, Second Floor, Exchange Building, Hong Kong, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors for the financial year ended 31st December, 1932, and re-electing two Directors and the Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th March to the 22nd March, 1933, both days inclusive.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1933.

By Order of the Board.

W. L. MCKENZIE,  
 Secretary.  
 14, Des Voeux Road, Central,  
 Hong Kong.

### CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO. LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 5th floor, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1933, at 12 o'clock noon to receive the Directors' Report, and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an ordinary General Meeting of the Company. And Notice is further hereby given that the Register and Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 22nd to the 28th day of February, 1933, both days inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO,  
 Managing Director.  
 Hongkong, 14th February, 1933.

## CHURCH NOTICES

### Sexagesima Sunday

#### ST. ANDREWS CHURCH.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at St. Andrew's Church:

Sunday, February 19.  
 Sexagesima Sunday.  
 8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.  
 10 a.m. Young People's Service and Primary Sunday School.  
 11 a.m. Choral Communion and Sermon. Preacher—The Vicar.  
 3 p.m. Confirmation Class. Sunday School.  
 6 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Preacher, Rev. P. M. Doddwell, B.D., R.N.

Oxford Group Movement.  
 A meeting of those interested in the Oxford Group Movement will be held in the Vicarage at 9 p.m. on Sunday evening.

Church Council.  
 There will be a meeting of the Church Council at 6 p.m. on Monday, the 20th inst.

Dramatic Entertainment.  
 At 9.15 p.m. on Monday a Dramatic Entertainment will be held in the Church Hall under the auspices of St. Andrew's Club. Tickets \$1 including tax. The entertainment will include musical items and two sketches.

By Order of the Board,  
 D. L. KING,  
 Secretary.  
 Hongkong, 8th February, 1933.

### RACE HOLIDAYS

The Exchange Banks will open at 9.30 a.m. and will close at 12 noon for the transaction of public business on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 20th, 21st, & 22nd, February, 1933. (Race Meeting).

Hongkong 17th February, 1933.

### METHODIST CHURCH (Wanchai).

The following are the forthcoming services to be held at the Methodist Church (opposite R. N. Hospital, Queen's Road, E.)

Sunday, February 19.  
 Morning Service, 10.15 a.m. Preacher, Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck. Sunday School, 3 p.m. Final meeting for the Winter season. To be addressed by Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Evening Service, 6 p.m. Preacher—Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Friday, February 24.  
 Weekly Prayer Meeting, 7.30 p.m.

SAILORS' & SOLDIERS' HOME.  
 Saturday, February 19.  
 A "Ramble" leaving the Home at 2 p.m., which will include a five mile walk, amid delightful scenery and company, at a cost of about 10 cents.

Badminton Tournament, 2.30 p.m.

Sunday, February 19.  
 Christian Social Hour, 8.15 p.m. Monday, February 20.  
 Badminton Club meet.

Tuesday, February 21.  
 Fellowship Meeting, 8 p.m. Wednesday, February 22.  
 A Lecture by Professor W. Brown, of the Hongkong University on the subject "A Visit to East Africa," illustrated by Lantern Slides, commencing 8.30 p.m.

Thursday, February 23.  
 An Entertainment of Choral and Instrumental music, given by Miss Flint and her Ladies' Choir, commencing 8.30 p.m.

Saturday, February 24.  
 A "Ramble" leaving the Home at 2 p.m.

Union Church (Kennedy Road).

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at Union Church, Hongkong.

Sunday, February 19, Hospital Sunday.

Sunday School, Kennedy Road, 9.30 a.m.

Sunday School, Taikeo, 2.45 p.m. Morning Service 10.30 a.m. (Broadcast).

Preacher: Dr. A. Sydenham. Evening Service 6 p.m. Preacher: The Rev. Frank Short.

The Communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the evening service.

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Every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Devotional Meeting of the Soldiers' and Airmen's Christian Association. Service men heartily welcomed.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Subject, "Mind."

The Sunday School is held on Sunday Morning at 10 o'clock. Wednesday Evening Meeting at 6 p.m. Reading Room at above address open Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Monday and Thursday, 5.30 to 7 p.m. The Public is cordially invited to attend the service and visit the Reading Room.

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## NOTICE.

### CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRTY-SIXTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders in the Company will be held in the Company's Board Room, 3rd floor, Exchange Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 24th February, 1933, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1932, electing Directors and Auditors, and for the transaction of any other Ordinary business of the Company.

NOTICE is also hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from MONDAY, 13th February, 1933, until SATURDAY, 25th February, 1933, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfers of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board,  
 D. L. KING,  
 Secretary.  
 Hongkong, 8th February, 1933.

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The Exchange Banks will open at 9.30 a.m. and will close at 12 noon for the transaction of public business on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 20th, 21st, & 22nd, February, 1933. (Race Meeting).

Hongkong 17th February, 1933.

### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

### YESTERDAY'S MARKET DULL

According to Messrs. Swan, Colbertson and Fritz, the New York market was dull yesterday. Business done: 600,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports:—The market was dull but advanced due to the repeal of the 18th Amendment being passed by Senate, good reports in trade centres, Michigan situation quiet, firmer commodities and the reassurance that no railroad would be thrown into receivership on March 1st, all of which served to advance the market. An increase of \$140,000,000 in money circulation, largely due to the Michigan situation and also the loss of 24,000,000 monetary gold.

### Dow-Jones Averages:

	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.
30 Industrials	55.49	56.37
20 Rails	26.33	27.05
20 Utilities	23.60	23.84
40 Bonds	79.12	78.51

	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.
American Can	55 1/2	55 1/2
American Smelting	12 1/2	12 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	100 1/2	101 1/2
American Tobacco	53 1/2	54 1/2
Anaconda Copper	6 1/2	6 1/2
Auburn	39 1/2	40 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	13 1/2	14 1/2
Canadian Pacific	9 1/2	9 1/2
Chase National Bank	40 1/2	41 1/2
Chrysler	11 1/2	11 1/2
Consolidated Gas of New York	48 1/2	49 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	34 1/2	35 1/2
Eastman Kodak	55 1/2	56 1/2
Electric Bond & Share	14 1/2	14 1/2
General Electric	13 1/2	13 1/2
General Foods	23 1/2	23 1/2
General Motors	12 1/2	12 1/2
General Railway Signal	18 1/2	18 1/2
Gillette Safety Razor	15 1/2	15 1/2
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	11 1/2	12 1/2
International Harvester	10 1/2	10 1/2
International Nickel	7 1/2	7 1/2
International Tel. & Tel.	6 1/2	6 1/2
Liggett & Myers	60 1/2	61 1/2
Loew's Inc.	14 1/2	15 1/2
Montgomery Ward	11 1/2	11 1/2
National City Bank	30 1/2	30 1/2
Pacific Gas & Electric	27 1/2	27 1/2
Packard Motors	2 1/2	2 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad	10 1/2	10 1/2
Radio Corporation	4 1/2	4 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco	28 1/2	28 1/2
Sears Roebuck	10 1/2	10 1/2
Shell Union	4 1/2	4 1/2
Socoy - Vacuum Company	6 1/2	6 1/2
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	24 1/2	24 1/2
Texas Corporation	12 1/2	12 1/2
Union Carbide & Carbon	22 1/2	23 1/2
Union Pacific	70 1/2	71 1/2
United Aircraft & Transport	21 1/2	22 1/2
U.S. Rubber	4 1/2	4 1/2
U.S. Steel	20 1/2	20 1/2
Westinghouse E. & M.	25 1/2	26 1/2
Woolworth	30 1/2	30 1/2

Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., advertise that on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 20, 21 and 22, all documents will be closed at 1 p.m. On these days, the Hongkong Dispensary, Dispensing Department, will be opened for the purpose of dispensing prescriptions from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

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Japan	Heiyo Maru	February 18
Shanghai and Amoy	Taiyuan	February 19
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 20th January)	Nordmark	February 19
Europe via Negapatnam (Papers only) London, 19th January	Friesland	February 19
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang- hai (San Francisco, 27th January)	Pres. Coolidge	February 20
Amoy	Sirdhann	February 20
Manila	Emp. of Asia	February 21
Calcutta and Straits	General Sherman	February 21
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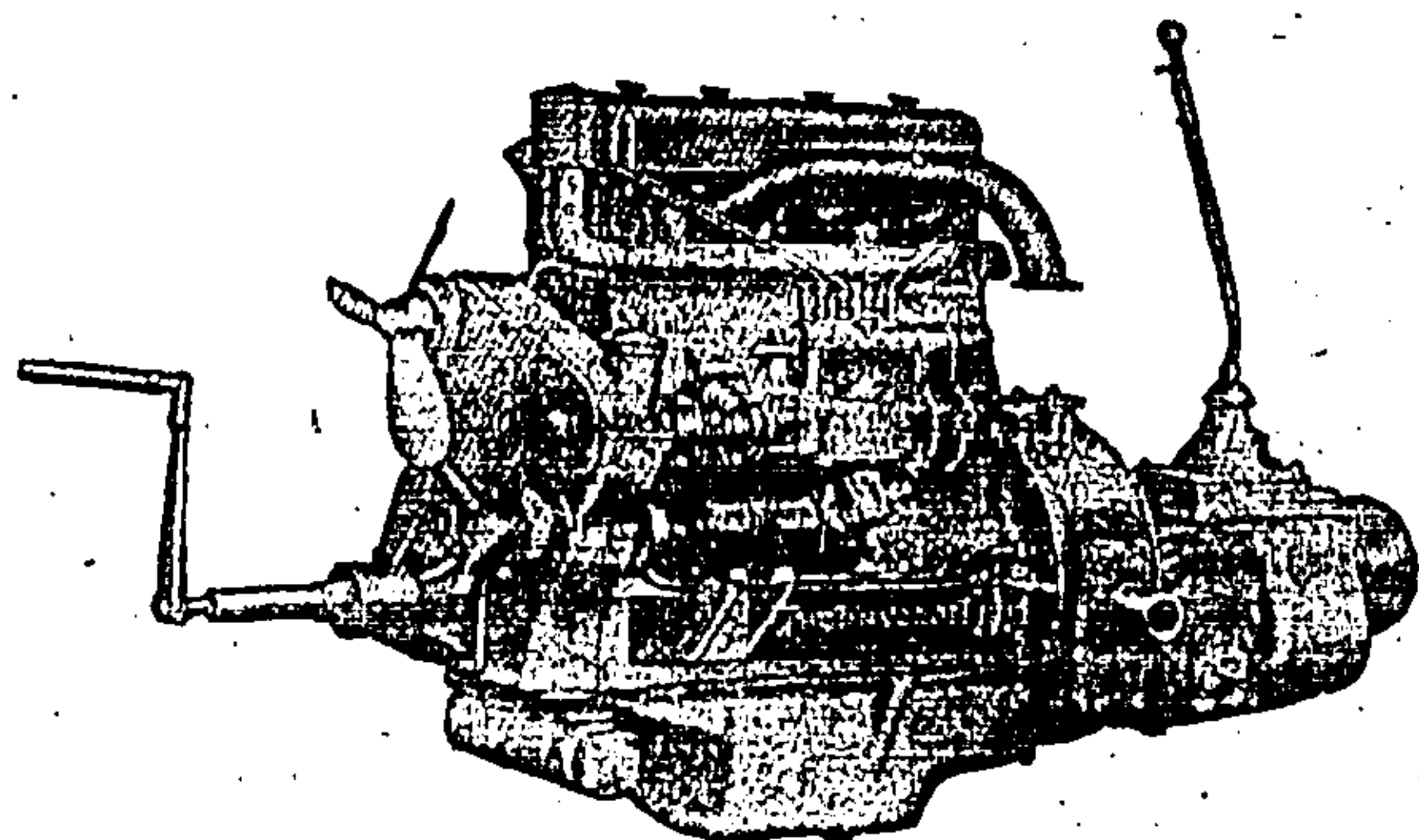
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A gaunt, lonely building in the Charing Cross-road, W.C., has the notice on its doors: "This church is officially closed." It is the church of St. Mary the Virgin. The notice will remain until the housebreakers arrive. And then the last act in a long tragedy of struggle and endeavour will be over. The church has been declared redundant. As such it was marked out for destruction some time ago by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners.

Under the general scheme which was approved by the Bishop of London, the money derived from the sale of the sites of redundant churches is to be devoted to the provision of new churches in thickly populated suburban areas.

Evening was celebrated in the church for the last time on the eve of the Epiphany, when choir and clergy walked round the building in procession before the blessing was pronounced by the Bishop of Kensington.

#### Fight For Existence

The Vicar and the congregation fought the demolition scheme to the last. When first the church was declared to be redundant a series of objections earned it a year's reprieve. Final condemnation was fought with a series of petitions, processions, and agitation. The enlistment of public sympathy at one time almost saved the church.

If St. Mary's had not the savour of antiquity, it is pleasant in its drab surroundings. It was built in 1850, replacing another which had been successively a Greek church in the Seventeenth Century and a French Protestant church.

The congregation had dwindled to a handful—fewer than half-dozen at times. It is these alone who will lose their regular place of worship. But it will be missed by the hundreds to whom St. Mary's was a place of occasional meditation and rest. They will not gladly see erected on the site a cinema, which is one of the fates proposed for the site.

### CÆSAR'S CAMP SAVED

#### BEAUTY SPOT FOR THE NATION

Cæsar's Camp, the treasure of antiquity which forms a "natural annex" to Wimbledon Common, is to be scheduled by the Commissioners of Works under the Ancient Monuments Act, and will thus be saved to the nation for all time. A draft Order is under preparation, and persons affected by it

will be entitled to compensation. The owner of the land is Admiral R. A. H. Plunkett-Erne-Drax. There has been considerable opposition to the omission of the site from the town planning scheme of the Wimbledon Corporation. The area was set out for development for building purposes when it

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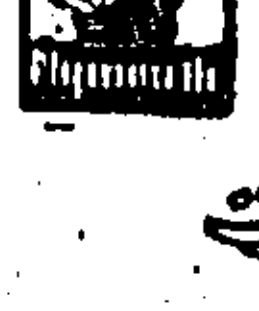
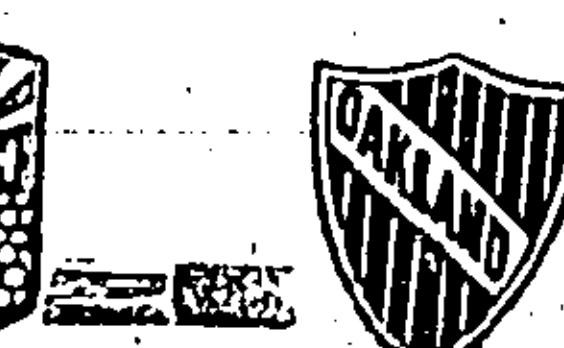
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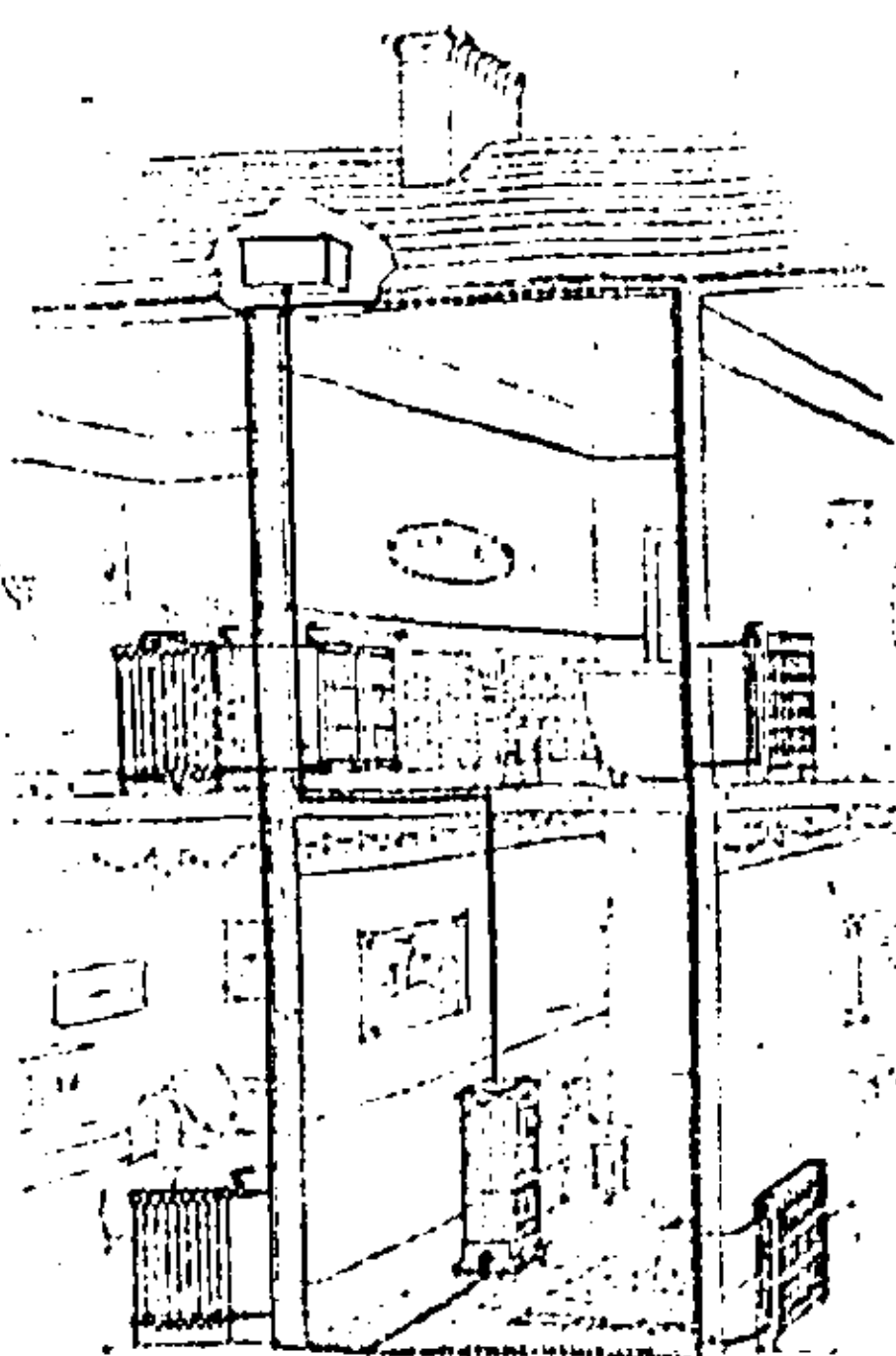


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He produced a pair of socks marked "Unshrinkable." One would fit a boy of ten, the other would be too small for a newly-born child. "I shrank that small one myself, just by washing it in soap and hot water. Obviously, the socks had no right to be sold as unshrinkable at all."

### Soaking the Waterproof

Strange instruments lay around the laboratory. One, he explained, was for dropping 20 drops a minute on the same spot on a piece of waterproof cloth. "If the third drop soaks through, the cloth would be useless. But if it stayed dry till the fourth or fifth drop, it would be satisfactory. Actually, one famous brand will stand 70." Nearby stood the rack on which hundreds of pieces of cloth are torn to ribbons, while a dial marks the pressure at which they split. "We have found," the scientist explained, "that when people complain that a cloth is apt to tear easily, a 40lb. pull on the machine is generally sufficient for the job. It is criminal to sell cloth unless it splits on this machine at a much higher figure."

"We burst bits of shirts and so on, too." He clamped a patch of cloth over an orifice, then pumped thick glycerine up through the orifice. The cloth swelled up like a balloon, and suddenly burst, indicating the fatal pressure on a gauge. "Anything that bursts at under 40lb. per square inch is useless."

The microscope show what different cloths are really made of, and sometimes, by adding the appropriate acid, the investigators

## SEARCH FOR LOST CIVILISATION

### INHABITANTS OF IRAQ 6,000 YEARS AGO

An expedition under the auspices of the British Museum has left London in an effort to trace a lost civilisation which is believed to have existed for some hundreds of years in Northern Iraq over 6,000 years ago.

The expedition will be under the direction of Mr. M. E. Mallowan, who assisted Dr. Campbell Thompson in last year's excavations at Nineveh. Mr. Mallowan's wife, Miss Agatha Christie, the novelist, is accompanying the expedition.

Sir Edgar Bonham-Carter, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the British School of Archaeology in Iraq, stated to a Press representative that the expedition is to excavate a prehistoric site at Arpachiyah, near Nineveh, where it is hoped to find evidence of a lost civilisation which existed before the rise of Ur.

Dr. Campbell Thompson's work last year revealed relics of a prehistoric people who were skilled in the making of decorative pottery. Similar pottery had been found among the mounds near Arpachiyah.

## UPSIDE-DOWN FLYING

### ITALIAN AVIATOR BEATS RECORD

Rome, Jan. 15. Sunday morning golfers on the Rome links were to-day astonished to see an Italian aviator persistently circling around overhead flying upside down. Peasants enjoying their Sunday festivities in the taverns adjacent to the golf course also noticed the phenomenon—some of them, it is said, with no little perturbation. They were relieved to learn later in the day, however, that what they saw was in accordance with facts.

The airman was the Italian aerobatic aviator, Captain Raffaele Colacicchi, attempting and easily beating the world upside-down flying record, hitherto held by a Frenchman. Captain Colacicchi flew upside-down for 42½ minutes—almost double the previous French record.

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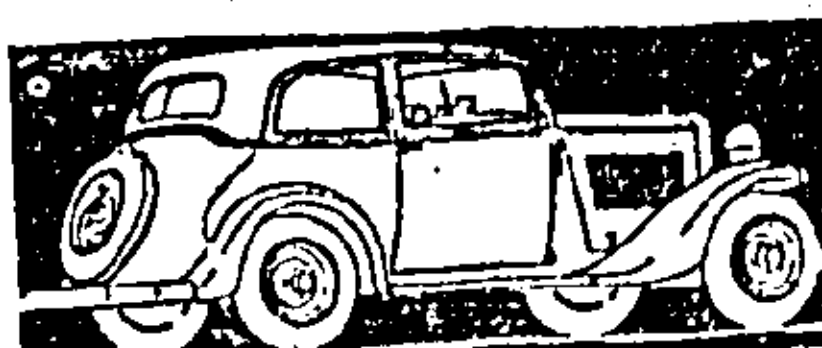
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#### ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK ISSUED

Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps  
Orders by Colonel L. G. Bird, D.S.O.,  
O.B.E., commanding Hongkong Volun-  
teer Defence Corps.

Friday, Feb. 17.

**Parades.**—(a) Battery—1. Parade for  
Signal Section at Headquarters at  
5.30 p.m., sharp, on Tuesday, Feb-  
ruary 21st, and Thursday, February  
23rd. 2. Parade for whole Battery  
at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, February  
23rd, at Headquarters.

**(b) Engineer Company.**—Friday  
to Sunday, February 17th to 19th  
at Pakahawan. Monday, Feb-  
ruary 20th, Miniature Range. Thurs-  
day, 23rd, D. L. Instruction, Wellin-  
ton Barracks.

**(c) Corps Signals.**—Parade at  
Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on  
Thursday, 23rd February.

**(d) Armoured Car Section.**—There  
will be no parade on Monday, 20th  
instant.

**(e) Machine Gun Company.**—The  
Company will parade as strong as  
possible on Friday, 24th, February at  
5.30 p.m. at Headquarters in multi  
for revolver drill. No. 4 Platoon will  
proceed to Kennedy Road Range under  
Capt. H. Owen-Hughes to fire revolver  
course.

**(f) Scottish Company.**—Thursday,  
23rd instant. No. 6 Platoon at Kow-  
loon Dock under 2nd Lieut. T. P.  
Saunderson. No. 7 Platoon at Head-  
quarters 5.30 p.m. under 2nd Lieut.  
A. W. Brown. Machine Gun Inspec-  
tion. Musketry. Members who failed  
to fire Part III at Stonecutters on  
Sunday last will have an opportunity  
of firing the course on Sunday, 12th,  
March.

**(g) Portuguese Company.**—There  
will be no parade on Tuesday, 21st,  
February. Peak Range. The Peak  
Range will be available for any mem-  
bers of the Company who wish to  
make use of it on Sunday, 26th Feb-  
ruary. Range Officer—Lieut. J. V.  
Remedios. Last train up 8.30 a.m.  
Firing will commence at 9 a.m.

Platoon Commanders will please  
obtain definite promises of attendance  
from members of their units so that  
the necessary arrangements may be  
made for ammunition etc., giving  
numbers to Lieut. Remedios by Fri-  
day the 24th February.

Stonecutters Range. Attention is  
drawn to the alterations in the  
arrangements for firing Classification  
Tests. Instead of the dates men-  
tioned in the Corps Diary viz:—March  
10th, March 26th, and April 22nd,  
the Company will have March 5th,  
and March 19th, (two dates only).  
Platoon Commanders will please as-  
certain how their men can best be  
arranged as to complete both Lewis  
Gun and Rifle Classification Tests on  
these two days, and inform O. C.  
Company at the earliest possible  
moment.

Transfer. No. 1087 Pte. C. H.  
Gutierrez to be transferred to No. 11  
Platoon having been posted to No. 12  
Platoon in error.

**(h) Anzac Company.**—The Com-  
pany will parade in full strength at  
Corps Headquarters on Thursday,  
23rd, February and not on Monday,  
the 20th, February.

**(i) The Officers Commanding the**  
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Orders separately to their Com-  
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I. Machine Gun Troop.  
II. Motor Machine Gun Section.

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**Appointment.**

No. 1768 Pte. R. I. Cherrill,  
Armoured Car Section, appointed

Lance Corporal with effect from  
17.2.33.

**Struck Off The Strength.**

Having left the Colony.  
No. 221 Sergt. Drummer W. Brown,  
Scottish Reserve, as from 10.2.33.  
No. 21 L/Sgt. F. C. Goodman,  
Scottish Reserve, as from 10.2.33.  
No. 1663 Pte. J. R. Younger, No.  
7 Platoon, as from 10.2.33.

**Leave.**  
Lieut. H. Pooley, A.S.C. Cadre,  
leave extended to 12.5.33.  
No. 1792 Pte. E. Quinlan, No. 2  
Platoon, granted 6 weeks' sick leave,  
from 1.2.33 to 7.3.33.

**Strength.**

The following have been taken on  
the Strength:—  
1989 Pte. C. E. Stuart Anzac Com-  
pany 19.2.33.

1990 Pte. D. Orr Anzac Company  
12.2.33.

1991 Tpr. D. A. Cumming Machine  
Gun Troop 14.2.33.

1992 Tpr. B. C. Allan Machine Gun  
Troop 14.2.33.

1993 Tpr. F. H. King Machine Gun  
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1994 Pte. W. E. Gutierrez No. 11  
Platoon 14.2.33.

1995 Pte. L. O. Agabeg No. 11  
Platoon 14.2.33.

W. H. G. GOATER, CAPTAIN,  
Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.  
Notice.

H.K.V.D. Corps Cricket Fixture.  
Sunday, 19th, February and Mon-  
day, 20th, February against Kowloon  
Cricket Club at K.C.C.

Tuesday, 21st, February v. South  
Wales Borderers at H.K.C.C. Wednes-  
day, 22nd, February v. Royal Navy at  
H.K.C.C.

**Rugby Football Match.**  
Volunteers v. The Army will be  
played at Sookunpo ground at 4.30  
p.m. on Saturday, 25th, February.

Hongkong Rifle League.  
Hongkong Rifle Club.  
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yds. yds. yds. Total  
Sergt. Sequeira 26 31 31 88  
Corpl. Salter 25 27 24 76  
Sgt. Salter 27 22 27 76  
Sgt. Smith 25 29 22 76  
L/Sgt. Baleros 19 27 18 64  
Pte. Westlake 20 22 17 59

142 158 189 489  
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483

Police Reserve Emergency Unit.  
Total 420.

**Rifle Meeting.**  
A Committee Meeting will be held  
at Corps Headquarters at 5.45 p.m.  
on Thursday, 23rd, February.

**China Command Rifle Meeting.**  
The China Command Rifle Meeting  
will be held on Kowloon Rifle Range  
on the 23rd, and 24th, March. Entries  
close on the 28th, February. In-  
formation with regard to entries from  
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Adjutant, or from Lieut. J. H. Bot-  
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### EXCHANGE RATES

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Paris	87.45/82	87 1/2
Geneva	17.70 1/2	17.73 1/2
Berlin	14.42 1/2	14.18/32
Helsingfors	227	227
Oslo	19.55	19.55
Athens	600	600
Milan	67.3/16	67.5/16
Buenos Aires	4 1/4	4 1/8
Shanghai	17.15/10	3.44 1/2
Amsterdam	8.55	8.54
Vienna	30	30
Prague	115 1/2	115 1/2
Madrid	41.11/16	41 1/2
Bucharest	550	550
Hongkong	1/3.7/32	1/3 1/4
Brussels	24.50 1/2	24.52 1/2
Stockholm	18.85	18.90
Copenhagen	22.50	22.7/10
Lisbon	110	110
Rio	5 1/2	5 1/2
Bombay	1/6.5/82	1/6.5/82
Yokohama	33	33
Montevideo	1/2 1/2	1/2 1/2
Montreal	4.12 1/2	4.13 1/2
War Loan	99 1/2	99 1/2
Belgrade	255	255
Silver (spot)	16.11/16	16.13/16
Silver (forward)	10 1/2	10 1/2

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tions on the New York cotton and  
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March	5.08-5.07	6.00-6.00
May	6.12-6.12	6.13-6.14
July	6.25-6.20	6.25-6.20
October	6.44-6.40	6.45-6.45
December	6.50-6.58	6.55-6.57
January	6.64-6.64	6.63-6.63
Spot	0.16	

	Chicago	Winnipeg
May	47 1/2	48 1/2
July	48 1/2	49 1/2
September	49 1/2	
October	49 1/2	50 1/2

### INDIAN OUTLAW

#### SURYA SEN CAPTURED IN SHARP ENGAGEMENT

Chittagong, Feb. 17.  
A sharp engagement with ter-  
rorists at the village of Gairala,  
near Patiya, 20 miles from Chit-  
tagong to-day resulted in the cap-  
ture of Surya Sen, the alleged  
brain behind the recent Chit-  
tagong attacks on Britons.  
The Government had offered  
10,000 rupees reward for the cap-  
ture of Sen.—Router.



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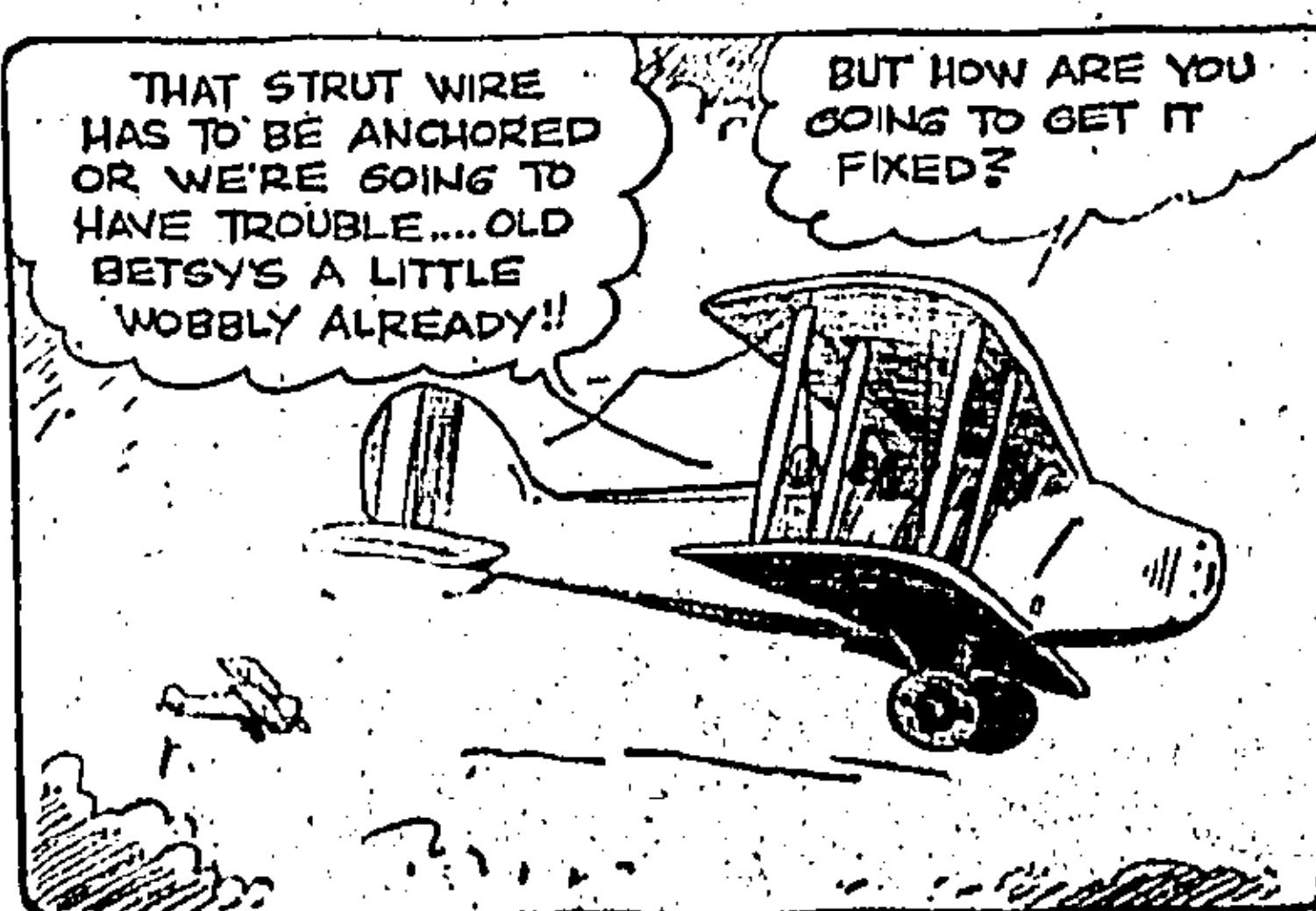
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#### FUN TO RELIEVE WORK AS LOCAL DEALERS GATHER

South Bend, Dec. 2.  
Studebaker and Rockne dealers  
from the South Bend and Chicago  
territories, gathered here to-day  
for the purpose of viewing  
the new 1933 Studebaker  
and Rockne models, were provid-  
ed with varied entertainment to  
add zest to the seriousness of the  
day's work.

At an informal luncheon held at  
noon, business discussions were  
pleasantly interspersed with  
colorful motion pictures and the  
presence of a bevy of beautiful  
girls who were used most effective-  
ly to dramatize the official pre-  
sentation of the new models to  
the assembled guests. Music was  
also provided.

The chief speakers were Albert  
Russell Erskine, president, The  
Studebaker Corporation, Paul G.  
Hoffman, president of the Stude-  
baker Sales Corporation of America,  
and George M. Graham, vice  
president of Rockne Motors Cor-  
poration. Harold S. Vance,  
president of Rockne Motors, and  
D. G. Ross, chief engineer The  
Studebaker Corporation, also  
spoke briefly, detailing the various  
engineering advancements which  
feature the new Studebaker and  
Rockne cars.

#### THE HONGKONG HOTEL GARAGE.

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#### DEATH.

WARD—At Kennedy Town Hospital  
at 5.20 p.m. on February 17,  
Vernon Byron Ward, aged 18  
months, dearly beloved son of  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward. Funeral  
will pass the Monument at 3.15  
p.m. to-day.

#### The Hongkong Telegraph

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1933.

#### THE CONTROL OF AVIATION

Opinion on the question of  
international control of aviation  
is still divided. The British  
contention, that such control is  
essential if the menace of aerial  
attacks on cities is to be removed,  
does not meet with the approval  
of America, which holds that,  
by reason of her geographical  
position, the plan is neither  
feasible nor desirable. In this  
connexion, it is to be noted that  
the Hoover plan of disarmament  
called for the abolition of all  
bombing aircraft, but the point  
that seems to be lost sight of is  
that civil machines are quite  
easily convertible into bombing  
planes. The original British pro-  
posals were based on acceptance  
of any practical scheme to pre-  
serve civilians from aerial bom-  
bardment, for which purpose it  
was proposed that all bombing  
should be within limits defined by  
an international convention. It  
was further suggested that there  
should be limitation of the un-  
laden weight of all military and  
naval aircraft, as well as of the  
numbers of such machines. France  
favours the total abolition  
of air bombardment, if accom-  
panied by internationalisation  
of civil aircraft, and also  
urges an organically international  
air force, to be at the disposal  
of a State which is the victim  
of aggression. Britain now  
comes definitely forward in sup-  
port of the French idea of in-  
ternational control, and the  
whole subject is to be studied  
by a specially-appointed com-  
mittee. The ideal, of course, is  
the elimination of warfare al-  
together, and the establishing of  
permanent peace. But this is  
still far from realisation. In  
the meantime, steps must be  
taken to stop mankind from be-  
coming the victim of its own  
inventiveness. Nations have  
built up fleets of bombing  
machines, and while they exist,  
or even while commercial ma-  
chines which can be quickly  
transformed exist, the outbreak  
of war might easily provoke  
their employment. What is need-  
ed is the utter and unequivocal  
ostracising of aerial warfare and  
of those who resort to it. By  
slow degrees the nations are  
coming to realise the effective-  
ness of the moral weapon, and  
there is definite promise of  
something being done to banish

some of the worst features of  
warfare. But until this aerial  
problem is finally settled, the  
world will continue to be ex-  
posed to horrors the full nature  
of which it is difficult to visualise.

#### Federal India

Federation between British  
India and the Indian Native  
States has definitely emerged as  
a practical project. The criti-  
cism has frequently been made  
that federation is an impossibil-  
ity, mainly because the federat-  
ing units consist of elements so  
contrary to each other as to be  
unblendable. A British Govern-  
ment whose constituents are  
primarily Conservative has pro-  
ved this to be a fallacy, even  
though the Conservatives were  
the first to hesitate about ac-  
cepting federation when it was  
proposed at the first Round  
Table Conference. The federa-  
tion idea derived its impetus  
from the decision of the Indian  
princes to affiliate their domains  
with British India under a con-  
stitution that would have all-  
India for its sphere. Prior to  
the first Round Table Confer-  
ence, federation was viewed as  
an ideal to be attained; but the  
decision of the princes took the  
issue from the realm of idealism  
and brought it within the ambit  
of practical politics. It was on-  
ly in the reflective environment  
of India that the princes began  
to think twice about what they  
had proposed and began to be  
doubtful if they would obtain the  
best of the bargain when their  
autocratic power came into con-  
flict with the democratic ideas  
which the British have fostered  
in British India during 150 years  
of association with Indians. The  
last conference showed that al-  
though there still is hesitancy  
on the part of many princes to  
enter federation, it may safely  
be said that federation will  
ultimately be India's status.

When the final history of India's  
constitutional question is writ-  
ten, it will be recorded that the  
victory has gone to the realists.  
Chief among the realists is Sir  
Samuel Hoare, the Secretary of  
State for India. He has made it  
clear that the new Government  
of India can work only if the  
triple association of Great  
Britain, British India and the  
Indian Native States is main-  
tained. By defining the scope  
and purpose of the various safe-  
guards he has brought the entire  
constitutional issue into precise  
terms. He has transformed  
volumes of generalities into the  
skeleton of a parliamentary bill.  
In doing it he has satisfied  
Indians as to the sincerity of the  
British people toward Indian  
aspirations.

#### Felt From Faces

Russia has a new industry.  
It is making felt boots from hair.  
There is nothing extraordinary  
in this. Hair has been long  
used in the manufacture of felt.  
But Russia proposes to get the  
raw material largely from the  
faces of the boot wearers.  
Herein lies both thrift and  
economy. It has been learned  
that the whiskerfelt is of ex-  
cellent quality, and the way is  
thus opened for development of  
a whisker crop on a scale never  
before attempted. Russian  
whiskers are a tradition. They  
are known all over the world.  
But the government edict  
officially impounding every har-  
vested whisker throughout the  
land ultimately must result in  
the recognition of Russia as  
the leading whisker-producing  
nation of the world. The de-  
mands of the growing felt in-  
dustry—or should one say the  
felt-growing industry?—must be  
met and if bumper crops are not  
forthcoming prizes may be of-  
fered for the best acreage in  
each community. In gathering  
the whisker crop the Govern-  
ment makes no distinction as to  
individual methods of produc-  
tion. A whisker is a whisker  
whether it sprouted in a set of  
burnsides or flourished in the  
jungle of a gawdies develop-  
ment. The patriarch brand un-  
doubtedly yields the greatest  
number of bushels an acre, but  
it is felt that any nondescript  
crop has its value in adding to  
the output of the felt industry.  
Incidentally the barber shops,  
which are constituted a sort of  
whisker silo by the edict, may  
be spurred to greater achieve-  
ment by promises of copies of  
"The Wind Blew Through His  
Whiskers" for the largest num-  
ber of bales collected within a  
given period.

## GOODBYE TO HONGKONG

FOR A  
FEW HOURS

By E. G. B.

The virtues of the walk I am  
about to describe are four. First-  
ly the longest climb and the least  
interesting part comes at the  
beginning; secondly you will be  
able, at a time, to spread  
yourself upon a bed of heather;  
thirdly the way home is easy to  
find and leads you down a gentle  
descent to the bus terminus, and  
lastly, you will feel as refreshed  
as if you had spent a week-end  
away in the country, since, after  
the first twenty minutes you turn  
your back on Hongkong and all  
things familiar, and catch no fur-  
ther glimpse of it until the even-  
ing.

Take a map, or not, as you choose  
(the one in the Hongkong guide-  
book will do) and about 10.30 a.m.  
get into any bus that goes to Kow-  
loon. Climb No. 2 is a good one  
if you are starting from the Star  
Ferry. Either walk for a quarter  
of a mile from the terminus, or  
get a No. 10 bus, which goes to  
the aerodrome, drop you at the  
second and last turning to the  
left. The turning is a wide and  
unmistakable road and leads past  
the Kowloon Dairy Farm and up  
to Customs Pass.

It will take three quarters of an  
hour to achieve the Pass, and you  
will have resisted all temptation  
to turn to the right, and will have  
stuck steadfastly all the time to  
Kowloon Peak which towers above  
you on the left.

At the actual pass there is a  
lovely view in front of you of  
wooded hills and valleys on the  
shores of Hebe Haven, whilst be-  
hind, a white road leads back  
over the hills to Lyemun.

Up on the left sears the range  
of hills of which Kowloon Peak  
is the Eastern terminus, and three  
quarters of the way up runs your  
Alpine path, with precipitous  
slopes of wind-blown grass rising  
above it to the summit, and equally  
perpendicular slopes falling away  
beneath. This path has a rather  
invisible beginning about fifty  
yards down from the head of the  
Pass, but once you are on it not-  
hing can go wrong and an hour's  
walk brings you to your destina-  
tion, Heather Pass.

#### Straight and Narrow

The way is as straight and  
narrow as the proverbial path  
allotted to the righteous: a rule  
could be laid along it, one end at  
Customs Pass, the other at Heat-  
her Pass, but it is far more entic-  
ing than the righteous were ever  
taught to expect. It provides  
wonderful panoramas of hills and  
bays and the open sea, and then  
hides them behind hills that sud-  
denly rise up on your right. Then  
it follows a murmuring stream,  
leaves past Dingley Dell, curls round  
Heather Hill and lands you at  
Heather Pass, hungry and clamour-  
ing for tiffin.

Here, unless you know the land  
well, the map will help you to  
discover Tide Cove, and beyond,  
Needle Hill and Tai-Mo-Shan;  
straight ahead is Buffalo Hill, and  
away behind it and to the right  
Ma-On-Shan and the Hunchbacks.  
It is a most beautiful spot this  
Heather Pass, comparable to any  
in the New Territories. It is di-  
fficult to believe that no deep blue

gentians, wild monkshood, or frag-  
ments of edelweiss are to be found  
up there, the place seeming as  
high and remote as mountains in  
Switzerland, where flowers are  
taken as a matter of course.

It will take about the same time  
to get home as it did to get out,  
and the way lies back along the  
same path for about half a mile,  
and then along a slightly larger  
path that turns off to the right to  
the village of Tiu Tiao Ngam.  
Go through the village and up the  
valley beyond—the smaller valley  
to the left is Dingley Dell—and  
at the first fork of paths take the  
right hand one, which you can  
see running along for miles at the  
foot of Tai's Ridge, and disap-  
pearing as it curves to the left and  
makes for Grasscutters Pass.

Following it, you turn your back  
gradually and sadly on the Hun-  
chbacks, Buffalo Hill, Tide Cove  
and finally Tai-Mo-Shan: arrived  
at Grasscutters Pass, take the  
road reluctantly down into the  
ordinary work-a-day world, with  
a bus and all other abominable  
emblems of sophistication lying in  
wait for you where you meet the  
main road at the bottom.

## DAY OF POWER

By E. L. ALLEN.

A few years ago a certain minor  
War-Lord occupied a district in  
Kwangtung and made it his first  
business to reward his supporters.  
He sent for one and asked what  
he could do for him. There was  
no hesitation about the answer:  
"Make me District Magistrate for  
one day!" It was a fairly moder-  
ate request to make, surely. He  
only wanted power for one day,  
but he was confident that in that  
time he could wipe out old scores,  
reward his friends, and amass a  
fair fortune! After that—well,  
he was shrewd enough to know  
that the future was an uncertain  
proposition at the best, and to go  
while the going was good.

One wonders what most of us  
would make of it if we were given  
the equivalent of what this man  
asked for—power for twenty-four  
hours and no one to check us in  
the exercise of it. Some, no doubt,  
would honestly set out to use it  
for the benefit of their fellows;  
but probably many, with the best  
intentions in the world, would  
decide that a day was really not  
long enough to do anything in that  
was worth while, and would let the  
opportunity slip through their  
fingers. Some, on the other hand,  
would have the time of their lives;  
but again probably most would  
feel that one couldn't make a great  
deal out of a day, and it would be  
all over before they had found out  
how to enjoy themselves.

In short, we should most likely  
use our day of power very much  
as we use the seventy years that  
are given to us as our life. Some  
would make the best possible use  
of it, others would waste it in  
self-indulgence, but the majority  
of us would never get to the point  
of sitting down to think out what  
was the best we could make of it!

## BULLS AND INNERS

The Week's Great Thought—  
Pshaw!

Now that England has won the  
Ashes, Australia has to be con-  
tent with the sackcloth.

"That's the ticket!"—as we all  
hope to say next week.

If ZBW is hard up for running  
commentaries, why not try some  
of the Colony's shroffs?

Talking of Canton's new bridge,  
what about another one to span  
the differences with Nanking?

A local solicitor is said to have  
obtained Bernard Shaw's signa-  
ture by a ruse. The unfortunate  
part of the business is that it  
wasn't on a chit.

LIFE:—A.B.C. . . . I.O.U. . . .  
Nec . . . R.I.P.

"Pull for the Shaw, lads," seems  
to be the motto of a lot of these  
people who write to the Editor.

Edward Kelly says a poor lis-  
tenser is a man who insists on  
telling you the number of stations  
he gets on his wireless, when you  
want to tell him the result of  
your operation.

These slit skirts are another  
illustration of the predominance  
of the log-theory.

Cements have figured promi-  
nently in share deals this week. But  
the market still fails to stick.

As was to be expected, this  
Brussels crisis is sprouting up  
again. We hasten to add, how-  
ever, that Mr. Shaw did not visit  
Belgium on his world tour.

A new Peer, aged 86, has just  
taken his seat in the House of  
Lords. MacWhirter suggests that  
at that age he should take to his  
bed.

The H.K.V.D.C. is to have a  
Cricket Week. We suggest that it  
is definitely bad to encourage  
Volunteers to run.

Appropriately enough, the  
Government is going to take steps  
in the matter of these dancing  
academies.

There is no truth in the  
rumour that Robert Mac-  
Whirter is to deliver a lecture  
at the University on "Humour and  
its Action on the Epiglottis".

"Henry Ford Under Fire," says  
heading in a contemporary. Back  
fire?

Another man is to go round the  
world in a junk. The Empress of  
Britain, on the other hand, is  
taking a lot of junk round the  
world. This should even things  
up.

To-day reminds us that local  
brokers seem to have entirely dis-  
carded their Derbys.

What's all this fuss about dan-  
cing academies? One can see a  
taxi-cab array any day outside the  
G.P.O.

That's the worst of these Army  
abbreviations. We hear of a gal-  
lant officer who was annoyed to  
receive the message—"C.O. may  
G.T.H." It only meant "get the  
house!"

"Thirteen Women" indeed!  
Many a man has found one un-  
lucky!

"Women are now wearing the  
accentuated collar," states a Home  
fashion writer. Some we know  
would be better cuffed!

We've noticed a lot of Testiness  
about the Australians lately.

Races to-day. Yes, in the  
spring a young man's fancy often  
chases home the field.

"Where do we stand to-day?"  
a reporter asked George Bernard  
Shaw. "In the buses," replied  
Edward Kelly.

"Forged \$100 bank-note." This  
explains why Edward Kelly has  
been looking so worried. He ex-  
pects to have a \$100 bank-note in  
about five years.



"All right, go ahead and make me mad, and I'll go right  
down and order a shampoo and a facial."



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## PICTORIAL SUPPLEMENT

SATURDAY, February 18th, 1933.

### BEAUTIFUL SILKS FOR SPRING

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The remarkable ivory carving illustrated above, which is being exhibited at Komor & Komor's showrooms, reveals Chinese art at its highest. Standing two feet high, the figure is one of the triumphs of the Chien Lung Dynasty.



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Making beautiful silk rugs, after designs copied from examples in the Palace Museum of the Forbidden City in Peking, which are to be sent to the Chicago Fair.



His Excellency the Governor snapped having tea at the Fanling Races on Sunday. (Photo: Pictorial Review).



Here are the teams which took part in the annual soccer match between the foreign and Chinese staffs of Lane Crawford, Ltd. The former won by three goals to nil. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Mr. Donald Anderson, graduate of Hongkong University and well-known interport cricketer, who has left for England to continue his studies. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Group taken at Mr. Chan Lim-pak's residence at a reception given to General Tsi Ting-kai, who is seated in middle row fourth from right. (Photo: Yim Fong).



A typical bookstall scene in a street at Peking during Chinese New Year.



No, these are not beads. They are strings of dried apples being sold by a street vendor in Peking.



Mr. Bernard Shaw at "Idlewild," Sir Robert Ho Tung's residence. Left to right:—Mrs. Shaw, Major Ho Tung, Sir Robt. Ho Tung, Mrs. Simpson, Mr. Shaw, Professor Simpson and Lady Ho Tung. (Photo: A. Fong).



Miss Masler on Country Club, winner of the Ladies' Race at Fanling. (Photo: Pictorial Review).



Mr. Jordan on Bay of Calamity, which won the Fox Hunters Light-weight Cup at Fanling. (Photo: Mee Cheung).

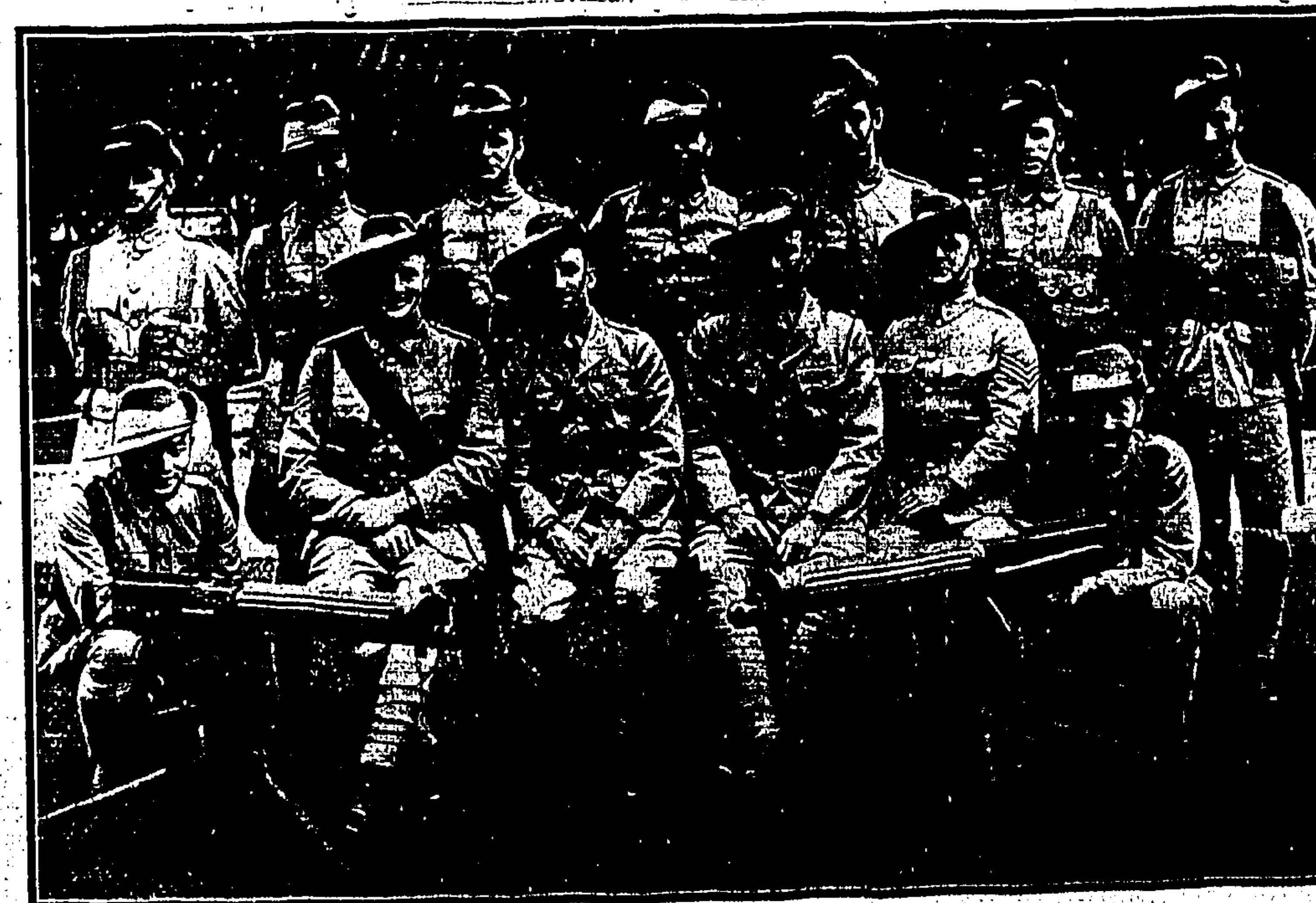


Photo shows the team from the Anzac Company of the Volunteer Defence Corps which won the Machine-Gun Competition. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



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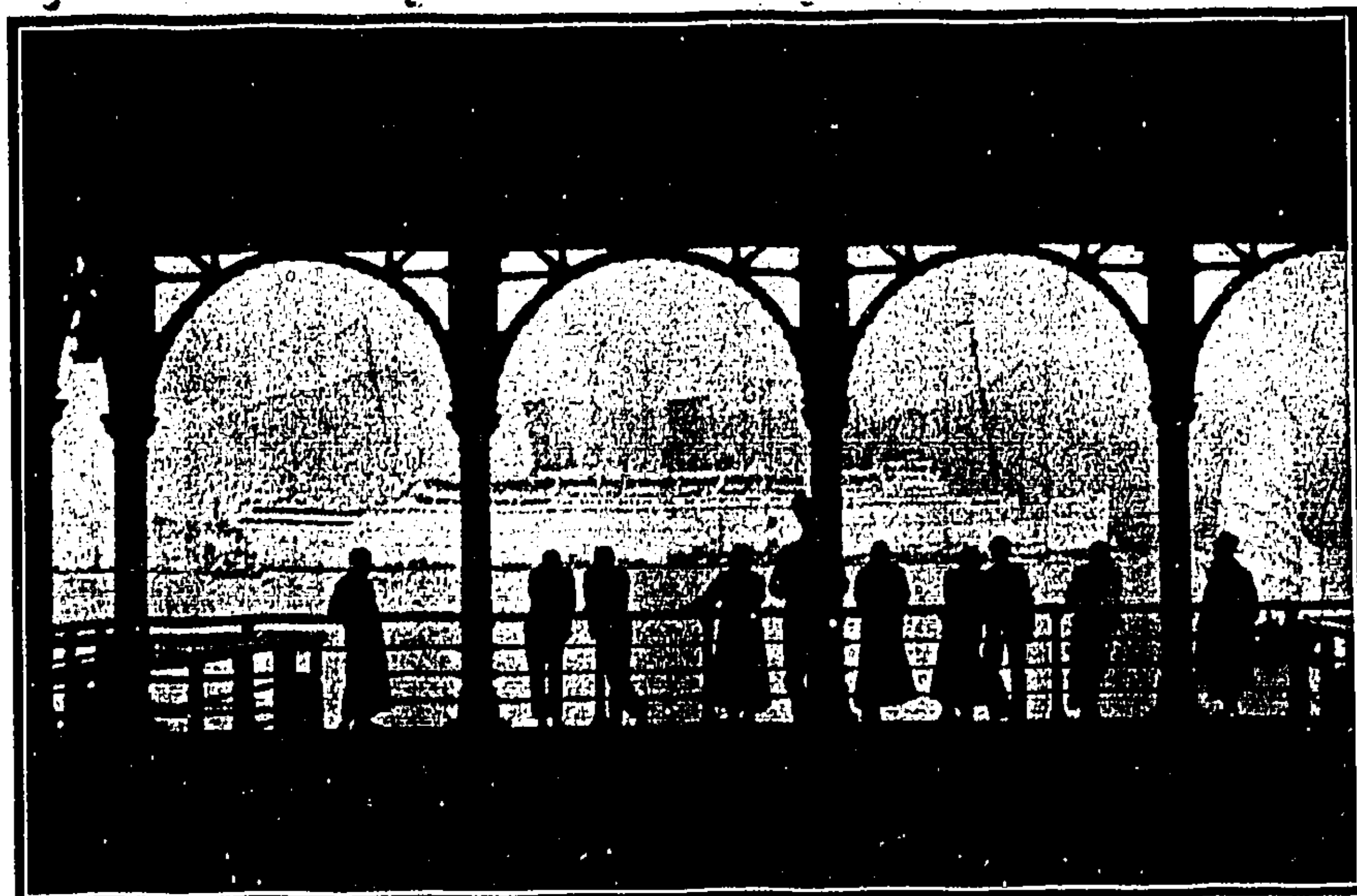
Left to right:—Nancy Kerrison, Mac Sayers and Mona Shand, youthful but enthusiastic riding pupils of Mr. R. H. Charles.



Another picture of three young pupils of Mr. Charles, taking a ride in the New Territories.



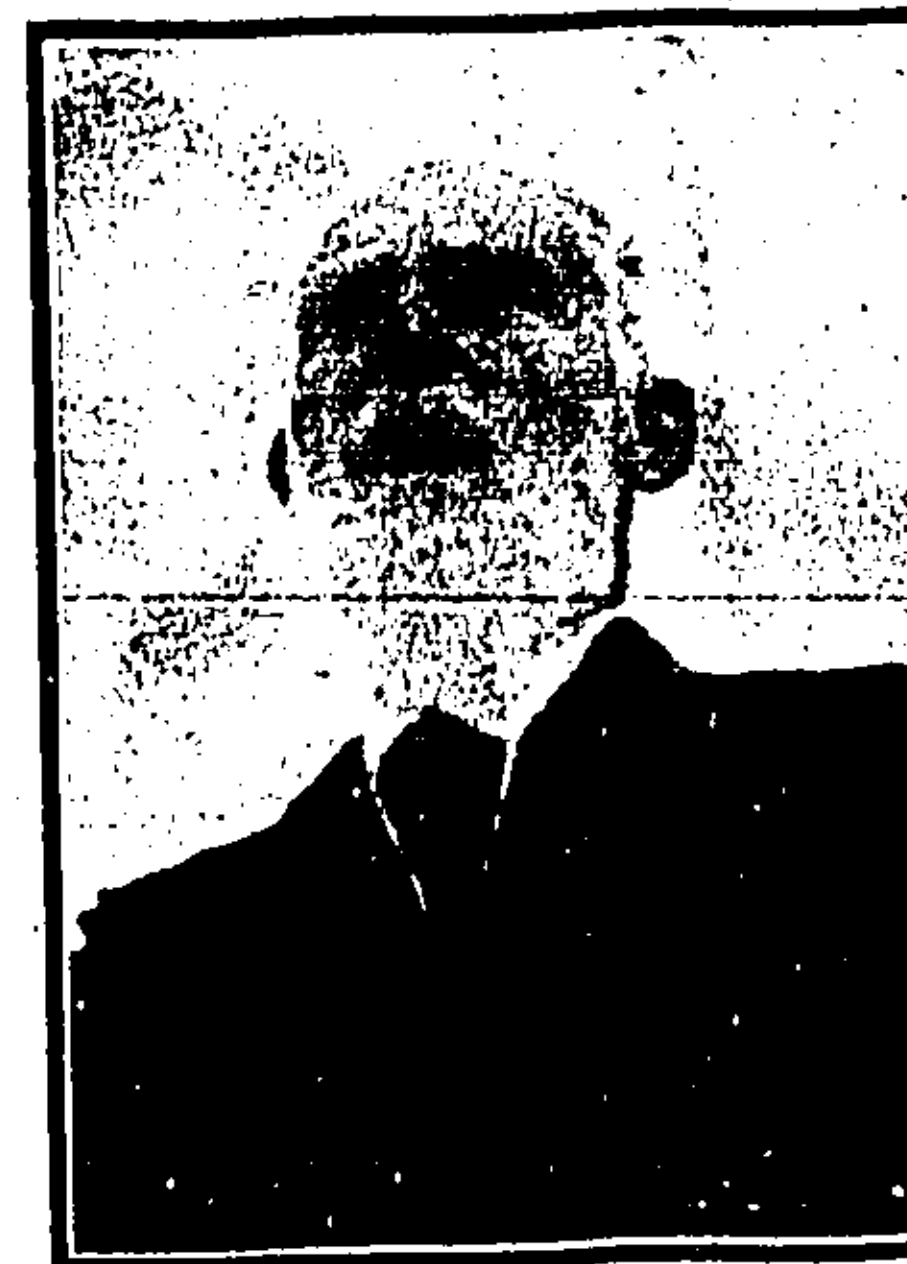
"Smiles." A happy snapshot taken aboard the well-known yacht "U and I."



An effective picture showing the luxury liner Empress of Britain lying off Queen's Pier during her visit this week. (Photo: Mr. J. C. Grenham).



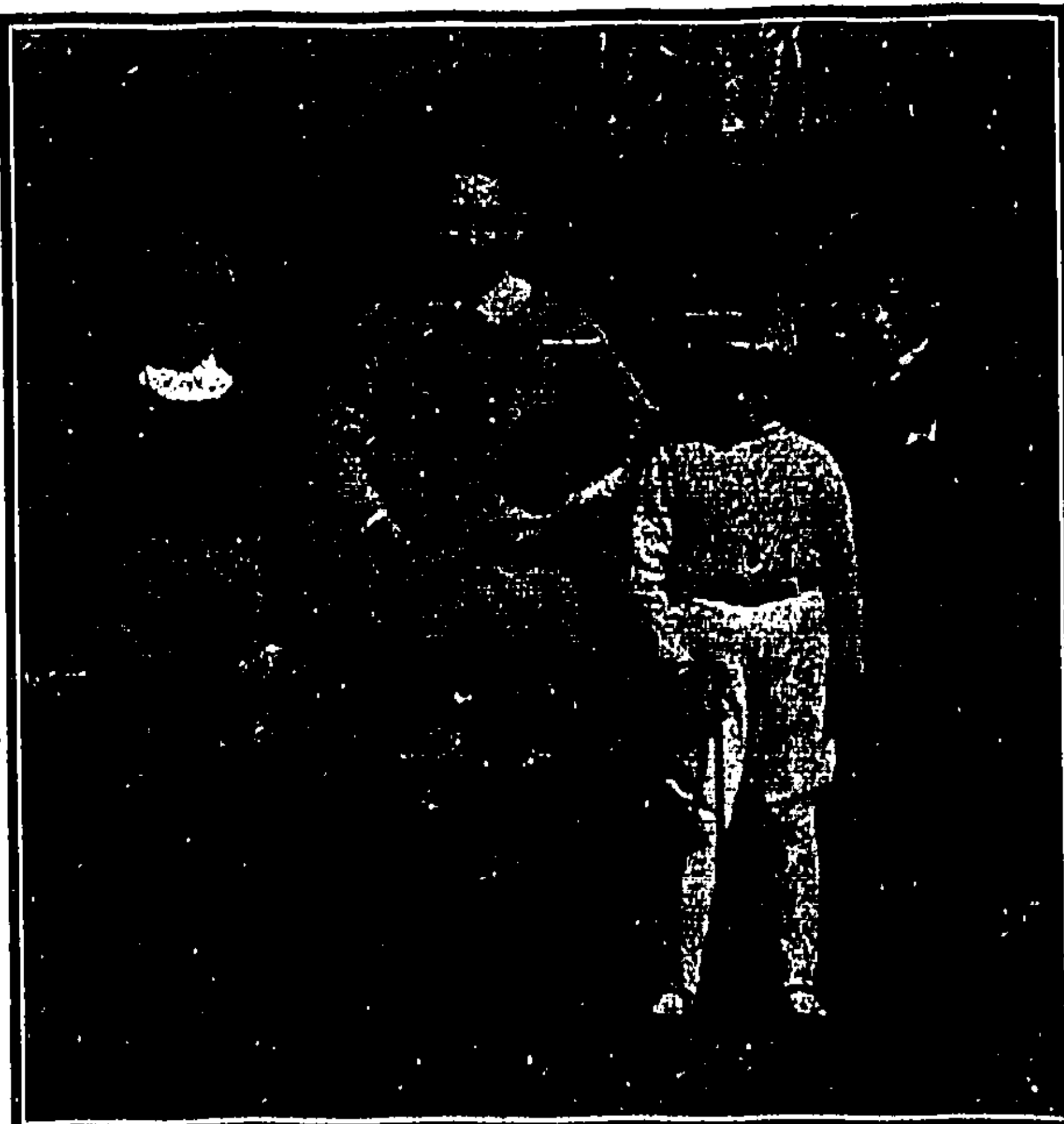
Members of the Anzac Company of the Volunteer Defence Corps firing at the Peak range on Sunday.



George Bernard Shaw delivering his much-discussed speech at the Hongkong University. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Loch Ryan, winner of the February Steeplechase at Fanling. Mr. Schreiber was the jockey. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Three of Mr. Charles' young pupils are seen in this photograph with Mr. W. Pay, the well-known Chinese jockey.



A recent visitor to Hongkong was Mr. E. H. Lewis, the curator of the Catalina Island bird park, California. He is shown above with two of his pets. Mr. Lewis has presented several birds to the aviary at the local Botanic Gardens.



FRENCH DEPUTIES  
HOAXEDRALLY TO CAUSE OF  
NEWFOUNDLAND"OPPRESSED STATE  
OF U.S.A."

French parliamentarians are not renowned for their general knowledge, especially of the world outside France, but the ignorance revealed by a practical joke which has just been played on some deputies has surprised even the detractors of democracy.

A number of students, anxious to test the degree of culture in the Chamber, conceived the plan of addressing a bogus appeal to its members on behalf of Guatemala and Newfoundland, suffering under the heel, as they alleged, of American imperialism.

In a circular letter to sixty-eight Radical and Socialist deputies they set forth in moving terms the distressed condition of these "two States of the American Republic" and requested support for their cause.

The letter was headed "League for the Ethnical Defence of the Newfoundlands and Guatemalas: Sir Stanley Guererro-Geneva, 7, rue Jean Jacques-Rousseau."

After drawing attention to the fact that Newfoundland and Guatemala are deprived of the privileges enjoyed by the "other 42 States" (there are actually 48 States), the letter goes on to explain the reasons, political, linguistic, and ethical, for this repressive and unfair treatment.

"The State of Newfoundland," it says, "is inhabited by two million persons of Iberian origin, who, since Cortes conquered the country and broke the resistance of the Incas, have retained their Spanish tongue."

"For more than a century," it goes on, "we have been pressing our claims vainly without obtaining satisfaction. To cite only one example, we two are the only States not represented in the Senate at Washington, while other States, such as New York, elect a dozen senators. At the moment when Yankee Imperialism is attempting to subjugate Europe we thought the moment favourable for interesting the Continent in our unhappy lot."

British M.P.'s Support

The letter then declares that over 200 German deputies and 300 English members of Parliament, including Mr. Lloyd George, have promised their support to the movement of liberation, while the League of Nations, it says, has the case under consideration. It concludes by requesting a word of encouragement for the cause.

Of the seventy odd deputies thus appealed to, nine hastened to reply promising their adhesion. Among the letters received, one signed by M. Romastin, successful candidate at the last election in the Sarthe department, which has been printed in full by the *Echo de Paris*, may be taken as an example.

"I am astounded," writes M. Romastin from the warmth of his Republican heart, "that a democratic country like America tolerates different treatment for the States making part of the Federation. Guatemala and Newfoundland have my fullest sympathy, and I cherish a sincere desire that their just claims may be listened to and that they may be treated on terms of equality with the other 42 States of the American Republic."

## SUNDIAL CENSUS

51 ON CHURCHES IN  
WORCESTERSHIRE

In order to preserve the mass-clocks, or primitive sundials, which are still to be found on a great number of Worcestershire churches, the Bishop of Worcester recently addressed a letter to all incumbents asking that a search be made for any mass-clocks and that particulars be reported.

The replies have now been summarized and added to under the direction of Sir John Sumner, to whom the plan was primarily due, and the Diocesan Advisory Committee now possess a practically complete inventory of every mass-clock in the diocese.

The inventory shows that mass-clocks are on 54 churches, exclusive of the glaucous channel at Netherpton, or rather less than a quarter of the total number of churches in the diocese (over 200).

The Worcestershire dials, appear to date from Norman times to the fourteenth or early fifteenth centuries, one alone dating possibly from Saxon times—namely the dial on a stone refectory inside Dinton Church, which shows pre-Norman markings, and was discovered some years ago buried under the nave floor.

ENGLAND'S "ELLIS  
ISLAND"TO BE CONVERTED  
INTO AERODROME

Atlantic Park hotel, between Southampton and Eastleigh, which has been described, as England's "Ellis Island," has been bought by Southampton Corporation for use as a municipal aerodrome.

The park, lying alongside the main railway line from Waterloo to Southampton, has caught the eye of thousands of passengers travelling to and from Southampton.

The forty buildings, including several hangars, were built during the war and used for the assembly of American aeroplanes which arrived in parts from the United States.

When peace was declared the property fell into disuse until three of the shipping firms interested in the North Atlantic passenger trade, the Cunard, White Star, and Canadian Pacific companies, bought it at a cost said to approach £100,000, for the accommodation of transatlantic passengers.

During the years it was in use for this purpose over 100,000 persons were accommodated there.

## ST. DAVID'S DAY

TO BE CELEBRATED  
IN HONGKONG

St. David's Day, Wednesday, 1st March, will be observed in Hongkong by the Hongkong St. David's Society. A wreath will be laid on the Cenotaph at 11 a.m. by the President, supported by the Vice-President, and the loyal support of all members and Welsh friends would be appreciated.

In the evening at 7.45 p.m. a dinner will be held at Lane Crawford's Restaurant, when Welsh songs will be rendered by 1st Batt S.W.B. and other soloists during dinner. A dance will follow.

Members and residents of Welsh nationality are invited to join in this celebration. Application for tickets and further information should be made as early as possible to Mrs. E. V. Hooper, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, 115, Wongsheung Road.

DOLLAR AGAIN  
RISESLOCAL MARKET  
UNCERTAIN

The Hongkong dollar advanced 1/8th this morning to 1.34 1/2. The local market, however, is still uncertain, and banks are only doing business against cover.

In London, silver rose 1/8th. China bought and India sold.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

LET YOUR LIFE BE COUNTED BY THE MILESTONES OF ACHIEVEMENT AND NOT BY THE TIMEPIECE OF YEARS.—Clara Barton.

It is notified that the name of the Shanghai Kwong Yick Land and Investment Company, Limited, has been struck off the Register.

Three cases of small-pox, two cases of diphtheria, one case of typhoid and two cases of meningitis, were reported to the health authorities on Thursday.

His Excellency the Governor has, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies appointed Mr. R. M. Henderson as Director of Public Works.

His Excellency the Governor has, under instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, recognized Mr. Walworth Barbour, provisionally and pending the issue of His Majesty's Exequatur, as Vice-Consul for the United States of America in Hongkong.

A brief report was received from the Sai Kung District of a piracy in British waters between Lung Shuen Wan and Kau Sai at 3.30 p.m. yesterday by an unknown Hoklo boat of about 15 piculs. Four men armed with three revolvers and four daggers are stated to have boarded the craft and to have decamped with \$10 in money and four bags of dried sea weed.

The health bulletin of Eastern ports for the week ended February 11, shows the following cases of infectious diseases and deaths thereof: Plague, Baghdad 1 case, Colombo 4 cases, 2 deaths, Calcutta 14 cases, 8 deaths. Small-pox, Alexandria 801 cases, 62 deaths, Basrah 2 cases, Beirut 6 cases, Basrah 2 cases, Bombay 332 cases, 104 deaths, Calcutta 223 cases, 208 deaths, Karachi 8 cases, 3 deaths, Madras 117 cases, 24 deaths, Mouline 1 case, Negapatam 1 case, Rangoon 1 case, Colombo 18 cases, 8 deaths, Macao 2 cases, 2 deaths, Canton 84 cases.

LONDON STOCK  
PRICESGILT-EDGED ISSUES  
FIRM

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. Gilt-edged issues were very firm yesterday. Otherwise the market was very quiet and irregular.

Feb. 16. Feb. 17.

## Chinese Bonds

4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.) ... £ 94 £ 95 1/2

4 1/2% Loan 1908 ... £ 90 £ 97

5% Loan 1912 ... £ 97 £ 98

5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.) ... £ 69 £ 70

5% Bonds 1924-27 ... £ 98 £ 97

5% Shantung Ry. ... £ 35-40 £ 35-40

5% Tient-Pukow Ry. ... £ 15-25 £ 15-25

5% Tient-Pukow Ry. (Supt. Loan) ... £ 15-25 £ 15-25

5% Shal-Hang Ry. ... £ 75-80 £ 75-80

5% Hunan Ry. ... £ 5-10 £ 5-10

5% Hukwang Ry. ... £ 18-24 £ 18-24

5% Lung Tsing U. Ry. ... £ 12-16 £ 12-16

## Foreign Bonds

German 7% International Loan 1924 ... 88/0 90/3

Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907 ... £ 54 £ 55 1/2

Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924 ... £ 62 £ 62

## Industrials &amp; Breweries

Associated Elec. Industries ... 17/9 17/9

Brit. Amer. Tob. ... 96/104 95/7 1/2

Chinese Eng. & Min. ... 22/6 22/6

J. & P. Coats ... 49/0 49/0

Courtaulds ... 28/6 28/6

Distillers ... 53/6 54/-

Dunlop Rubber ... 21/7 1/2 21/7 1/2

Eveready ... 30/- 30/-

General Electric (England) ... 42/- 42/-

Guinness ... 80/- 80/3

Imp. Chem. Industries ... 25/3 25/1 1/2

Imp. Tobacco ... 93/6 92/6

Pinchin Johnson ... 28/6 28/6

Turner & Newall ... 25/3 26/-

Unilever ... 29/- 28/9

## Miscellaneous

Anglo-Dutch ... 10/8 10/3

Burma Corp. ... 10/1 10/1 1/2

Canadian Pacific ... \$14 \$13-7/8

## SHARE PRICES

## TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

## Banks

Hongkong Bank, \$1,770 n. H'kong Bank, Ldn., \$120 n. Chartered Bank, \$13 1/2 n. Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$24 1/2 n.

Mercantile Bank C., \$9 1/2 n. East Asia, \$108 n. Am. O. Finance Corp., \$28 n. China O. Fin. Ord., Tls. 6 n. China A. Fin. Pref. Tls. 4.00 n.

## Insurance

Canton Ins., \$1,375 n. Union Ins., \$572 1/2 n. China Underwriters, \$2.35 sa. China Fire \$620 n. H.K. Fire Ins., \$1350 n. International Assoc., Tls. 4.15 n.

## Shipping

Douglas, \$30 b. H.K. Steamboats, \$22 b. Indo-China, (Prof.), \$45 n. Indo-China, (Def.), \$32 n. Shell (Bearer), \$45/0 n. Union Waterboats, \$20 1/2 n.

## Mining

Benguets, \$17 1/2 n. Kallans, \$22/0 n. Langkats (Single), Tls. 4 n. S'hai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n. S'hai Loans, Tls. 2.30 n. Venus Goldfields, \$4.20 n. Benguet Exp., 23 cts. n.

## Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$144 n. H.K. Docks, \$20 n. S. China Motors A., \$10 n. S. China Motors B., \$5 n. Providents (old), \$4.40 n. Providents (new), \$1.90 n. Hongkew, Tls. 2.20 n. New Engineering, Tls. 6.20 n. Shanghai Docks, Tls. 96 n.

## Land, Hotels, etc.

Hotels (old), \$7.60 n. Hotels (new), \$7.30 n. H.K. Lands, \$75 1/2 n. S'hai Lands, Tls. 25 1/2 n. Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n. Humphreys, \$14.10 sa. Asia Realities "A", \$140 n. Asia Realities "B", \$28 n. Chinese Estates, \$95 b. China Realities, Tls. 11.40 n. China Debentures Tls. 39 1/2 n.

## Cotton Mills

Ewo Cottons, Tls. 13.40 b. S'hai Cottons, Tls. 71 n. Zoong Singa, Tls. 11.75 n. Wing On Textiles (S.) 115 n.

## Public Utilities

Tramway, \$21.60 n. Peak Trams (old), \$16.20 n. Star Ferries, \$90 sa. Yaumati Ferries (old), \$34 1/2 n. Yaumati Ferries (new), \$33 1/2 n. China Light (old), \$11 1/2 a. H.K. Electric \$74 b. Macao Electric \$24.80 n. Sandakan Lights, \$12 n. Telephones (old), \$30 n. Telephones (new), \$27 n. China Buses, Tls. 10 n. Singapore Traction, 2/- n. Singapore Pref. 12/- n.

## Industries

Malabon Sugars \$27 1/2 n. Cold. Macg. Ord., Tls. 14 n. Cold. Macg. Pref., Tls. 10 1/2 n. Canton Ices, \$6 n. Cements (Com.), \$7 1/2 n. Cements (old), \$6 n. Cements (new), \$2 n. H.K. Ropes, \$11.80 n. Agricultural, \$7 n.

## Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$29 b. Watsons (old), \$12.75 n. Watsons (new), \$11.40 n. Der. A. Winsa, \$1 n. Sinceres \$15.50 b. Lane Crawfords, \$5.40 n. Mackintoshes, \$21 n. Wm. Powells, \$8.85 n. Wing On (H.K.) \$225 n.

## Miscellaneous

Amusements, \$12 1/2 n. Entertainments, \$13.40 n. S.C. Enterprises, \$3 1/2 n. United Theatres Tls. 5 n. Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n. Construction (old), \$5 sa. Construction (new), \$1 sa. Wallace Harpers, \$9 n. B. Ind. G.S. Bonds, \$80 1/2 n.

## SUNDAY'S PROGRAMME

10.30-11.30 a.m. A relay of the Service from the Union Church.

Order of Service Voluntary Hymn—"Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty"

Invocation Lord's Prayer Hymn—"All People That on Earth do Dwell"

Scripture Reading Hymn—"Immortal Love Forever Full"

Offertory Offertory Prayer Hymn—"From Thee All Skill and Science Flow"

Sermon—Dor A. Sydenham Hymn—"Thine Arm O Lord in Days of Old Was Strong to Heal And Save"

National Anthem Benediction 11.30-12.30 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

12.30-2.30 p.m. European programme of Victor and H. M. V. records.

1 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

2.30 p.m. Close Down.

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-10 p.m. European programme.

Symphony No. 8 in B Minor ("Unfinished") (Schubert).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.

1st Movement—Allegro moderato.

2nd Movement—Andante con moto.

(This Suite is from Z. B. W.'s Library).

7.30-8 p.m. A relay of the Organ Recital by Mr. G. E. Longyear from the Union Church.

Programme.

1. Alla Breve (Handel).

2. Poeme (Fibich).

RADIO  
BROADCASTPROGRAMMES FOR THE  
WEEK-END

From Z.B.W., on wave length of 355 metres (845 k/c).

4.15-5.45 p.m. (Approx.) A Running Commentary on the Football Match between the Club and Kowloon from the Kowloon Football Field by courtesy of the Kowloon Football Club and the Hong Kong Football Association.

5.45-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-11.30 p.m. European programme.

7.15 p.m. Band Music.

A Musical Switch (arr. Alfard).

Band of H. H. Coldstream Guards.

Selection of Leslie Stuart's Songs (arr. Hume).

Band of H. H. Coldstream Guards.

7.15 p.m. Selected London and New York Stock Quotations, etc.

7.30-8.15 p.m. Variety.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

Vocal Duet—The Chocolate Soldier—The Chocolate Soldier—Sympathy.

Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham.

Chorus—Stephen Foster Melodies.

Nat Shikret and the Salon Group.

Orchestral—Early Ragtime Memories.

Jack Hylton & His Orchestra.

Organ Solo—A Musical Trip Around the British Isles.

Songs—Plantation Songs.

Paul Robeson (Bass).

8.15-9.05 p.m. Musical Comedy.

Blue Eyes—Selection.

The New Mayfair Orchestra.

This Year of Grace—Selection.

The New Mayfair Orchestra.

Sonny Boy—Salon Group.

Lucky Girl—Selection.

Five O'Clock Girl—Selection.

Love Lies—Selection.

New Mayfair Orchestra.

Funny Face—Selection.

Virginia—Selection.

New Mayfair Orchestra.

Erik Charell's "White Horse Inn"—Selection.

New Mayfair Orchestra.

Song of the Drum—Selection.

New Mayfair Orchestra.

9.5-9.59 p.m. Instrumental.

Piano Solo—Tango (Albeniz).

Piano Solo—Sonata (Schumann).

Wilhelm Bachaus. 1445.

Violin Solo—Sielanka (Wienlawski).

Violin Solo—Poem (Fibich-Kubelik).

Simfonietta—Elegia (Tschalkowsky).

The Philadelphia Chamber String.

Simfonietta. 4151.

Piano Solo—Prelude in A Minor (Debussy).

Piano Solo—Alt-Wien (Godowsky).

Isabelle Yakovsky. 4115.

9.30-11.30 p.m.

A relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

10 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

11.30 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie and Co.

The Studio programme between 7.30 and 7.15 p.m. may, on any day, be replaced by a relay from England, if reception of the latter happens to be good.

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## "RINGTAIL'S" FINAL SELECTIONS



S. HIRD.

### SID HIRD FOR ENGLAND

#### PLAY IN LANCASHIRE LEAGUE CRICKET

#### LEAVING AUSTRALIA IN MARCH

New South Wales is losing a fine cricketer and Australia a potential Test player, as Sid Hird is going to England to play in the Lancashire League.

At the moment Hird does not know with which club he will play but it will be announced, it is expected later. He will leave Sydney about next March.

Hird is a splendid cricketer who should do well in League cricket. Since the days when he was a school boy his name has often been mentioned as a player with a future, but for some time he scarcely bore out the hopes of his friends. A dash of rashness spoiled his batting but experience has tempered that and last season he became a marked man.

#### FINE ALL-ROUNDER.

A century score against the South Africans did much to establish him, and this season he has done fine work with bat and ball, taking six wickets for his State against England and routing the Victorians.

He is an all-rounder of definite promise for he can field as well as bat and bowl.

Everyone will regret that Hird is going. Australia can ill afford to lose promising youngsters but he must of course look to the future. Work has not been over-plentiful "Down Under" whereas a player of his quality should earn a first-rate livelihood on the other side of the world. Cricketers will wish the young player the best of luck.

Claude Spencer, who arranged the business with Hird, is one of those chaps who loves cricket and cricketers. Of course, he gets nothing out of it, but, being known to the Lancashire League officials, is asked by them for advice whenever they are looking for a player. Mr. Spencer, in this case, passed on the offer to Hird, who is out of work, and it was accepted.

### AQUATIC SPORTS.

#### New Local Association to Take Charge.

#### INAUGURAL MEETING.

A newly formed local association proposes to take charge of aquatic sports during the coming season, the Hongkong International Amateur Swimming Association having been inaugurated to take the place of the now defunct Hongkong Amateur Swimming Association which was wound up owing to financial difficulties.

The inaugural meeting which was held at Lane Crawford's Restaurant was attended by representatives of several local bodies and after the rules had been considered and passed officials were elected as follows:—Chairman: Mr. Y. K. Mok; Secretary, Mr. E. W. Ballton; Assistant Secretary, Mr. D. Sutherland; Treasurer, Mr. A. Donn.

It was decided to hold a meeting on Friday, March 3 at Lane Crawford's Restaurant when representatives of affiliated bodies will elect a council and nominate a President and two Vice-Presidents.

### THE FIFTH TEST.

#### Australian Player Not Available.

Melbourne, Feb. 17.  
The Australian cricketer Nagel is unavailable for the fifth Test match which is to be played on February 23, owing to an injured arm.—*Reuter*.  
Nagel played in the first Test. He is primarily a bowler.

### MOTOR CYCLING.

#### Club Arranges for All-Day Outing To-morrow.

An all-day motor-biking outing in the New Territories has been arranged for to-morrow by the Hongkong Motor Cycling Club.

Members of the Club and those who wish to participate in the run should meet at the Kowloon Car Park at 9 a.m. to-morrow, bringing their own "cats."



### LO PASSES ON

#### EX-CHAMPION'S COURTCRAFT

#### COUNTERS LACK OF STAMINA

(By "Veritas").

M. W. Lo, former champion, yesterday advanced to the third round of the open singles tennis championship when he beat R. Choa in straight sets 6-2 6-4.

There was a tinge of real interest in the match, for not only are the players club-mates, but one felt that the youth of Choa would be a good test for the declining strength of Lo.

As a matter of fact the ex-champion came out of the ordeal with flying colours. Although obviously less virulent than three years ago, he has enough courtcraft and tournament experience in his head to carry him through many a stiff fight.

#### STRENGTH CONSERVED

Yesterday he cleverly conserved his strength, striving to obtain accuracy in placements to prevent Choa from making the pace, and he was astonishingly successful.

I don't think we saw the best of the present day Lo yesterday. He always gave the impression he was keeping something back, and it is quite on the cards that he may have a lot to say in the latter stages of the tournament.

Choa is young and a stylist. So much does the latter quality feature his game that I have a sinking feeling he has allowed its development to usurp the more important growth of one's game—a judicious mixture of speed with accuracy, and enterprise with discretion.

Against Lo he concentrated on maintaining the rallies; it cost him lots of running about, and although perhaps a more aggressive type of game might have had unfortunate reactions, I think he could have afforded to have taken up a more definite line of attack.

#### PROMISE OF YOUTH.

Choa has the promise of youth, but he must let his text books deprive him of a natural game. The development of one's game should not be solely on the lines of safety first.

Willie Hung, assisted by Chiu Chun-chiu, took ample revenge for his singles defeat by H. J. Armstrong, when the Chinese pair beat Capt. Cannon and Armstrong in the open doubles yesterday in straight sets. Hung and Chiu adopted the characteristic game among local Chinese—a lobbing campaign—and with Armstrong, very perverse at the net, the victory was a sort of "gift" from the English pair.

The exchanges were neither particularly brilliant nor especially poor. Hung and Chiu were always superior as a combination, but Cannon and Armstrong might have easily forced the issue to something more pronounced had they shown any sort of consistency overhead.

#### EXIT TAM YOC-FONG.

Tam Yoc-fong, who on Thursday eliminated Yow Man-ki, figured among the defeated when, in partnership with G. Lai, he was put out of the doubles by Ng Kam-choun and Tsai Ping-fan. The result was in accordance with the play, the losers obviously suffering from lack of understanding and team work.

There will be no tennis at the Club ground on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next, but the championship will resume on Thursday, when four third round singles ties are scheduled, including Goldman v Tam, Fincher v Liang, Hazell v Leonard and Casumbhoy v Lai.

#### THE RESULTS

##### OPEN SINGLES (2ND ROUND).

M. W. Lo beat R. Choa 6-2, 6-4.  
Ho Ka-lau beat Lee Hui-ngok, w.o.

##### OPEN DOUBLES (1ST ROUND).

Chiu & Hung beat Armstrong & Cannon 6-3, 6-3.  
Ng and Tsai beat Tam and Lai 7-5, 6-1.

### DERBY CANDIDATES TO WIN

#### BLACK VELVET FOR VALLEY STAKES

#### SPRING MEETING OPENS

"Ringtail's" final selections for to-day's opening of the annual meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club have been made and below will be found his nominees for the twelve events which start off the week's programme.

##### 1st Race

The Goat  
Black Rock  
Iron Grey

##### 2nd Race

Blue Star  
Daylight Eva  
Champaign Bay

##### 3rd Race

Coo Coo Bay  
Tenorio  
Mignonette

##### 4th Race

Valley Hall  
Banjolin  
Cy-Pres

##### 5th Race

Portia  
Ration  
Rosy Morn

##### 6th Race

Liberty Bay  
Hetman  
Gay Crusader

##### 7th Race

Black Velvet  
Hey Tor  
Springfield

##### 8th Race

Trentbridge  
Magnolia  
Per-se

##### 9th Race

Cyclamen Bay  
King's Bounty  
Bag and Baggage

##### 10th Race

The Giraffe  
Lucy Gitters  
Evening Star

##### 11th Race

Brechlin  
The Goowit  
The Roundhead

##### 12th Race

Diana Bay  
Sadko  
Don

### WRESTLING CHALLENGE

#### "Tiger" Daula Wants Bout in Hongkong

"Tiger" Daula of India, claimant for the world's heavyweight wrestling title, has just arrived in Hongkong from his wrestling tour in the United States and Canada, and through the *Telegraph* is challenging anybody of any nationality in Hongkong to a wrestling bout. Daula, who is a six-footer, and weighs 235 pounds, had a remarkably successful tour of the West and achieved no less than 161 victories.

He has superb muscular development, and has imbued both the Indian and American style of wrestling and holds.

Anybody wishing to challenge him should get in touch with Karter S. Garchna, through the *Hongkong Telegraph*.

#### A BROKEN DOWN SYSTEM.

This is a condition (or disease) to which many of the vital forces that sustain the system. It is simply weakness—a break down in the system. It is a condition which is caused by a number of factors, its symptoms are much the same as those of a broken down system, and the more prominent being sleeplessness, depression, and want of energy for all the ordinary affairs of life. Now, what alone is essential to such a state of mind is increased vitality—vigor, vitality and energy to throw off these conditions, and as signified by the word "vitality," it is a condition which is caused by a number of factors, its symptoms are much the same as those of a broken down system, and the more prominent being sleeplessness, depression, and want of energy for all the ordinary affairs of life.

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### SPORT ADVTS.

#### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING, 1933  
18th, 20th, 21st, 22nd and 25th,  
February, 1933.

On Saturday 18th, Monday 20th, Tuesday 21st, and Wednesday 22nd, February, the first bell will be rung at 11 a.m. and the first race will be run at 11.30 a.m. On Saturday, the 23rd February, the first bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m., and the first race will be run at 2.00 p.m.  
The 15th interval will be taken after the fifth race in the first four days.

#### MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE.

Members are reminded that they and their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed. No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10.00 per day including tax—or \$40.00 including tax for the Meeting (ladies' badges \$20.00 respectively), are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for all chits, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course. The Secretary's Office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794), will close at 10 a.m. on the first four days, and at 12.30 p.m. on the fifth day.

A limited number of Tiffins will be obtainable each day at the Club House, provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy, Telephone No. 21020.

On no pretext will children be permitted in either enclosure during the first four days of the Meeting.

#### PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 per day including tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted to the Public Enclosure at \$1.00 per day including tax. Bookmakers, Tie Tac men, etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Tiffins will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

#### SERVANTS' PASSES.

Passes for Servants will be issued on application to the Secretary, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building.

Employers are requested to dis-tribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the passes.

Servants are not permitted in the Members' Enclosure except for passing through on their duties but must remain in their employers' stands.

Any persons found loitering with Servants' passes in their possession will forfeit the same, and will be removed from the enclosure.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1933.

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### COMMISSION ON TECHNOCRACY

#### APPOINTMENT IN NEW YORK

Recognising at least tacitly the general interest in the technocracy group, which is charting the effects of technological unemployment, and which has brought about its head much criticism against Columbia University, where the group is working, Dr. Nicholas M. Butler, President of Columbia University, has announced the appointment of a Commission of economists and publicists to "consider the whole question of the effect of recent technological advance, particularly as manifested in mass production, its effect on economic processes and social welfare."

The announcement does not mention the technocracy group, and the commission does not include any of its members, but it is regarded in some quarters as designed to answer the criticisms which some theories of the technocrats have brought upon the University.

#### Six-fold Programme.

Mr. Butler announces a sixfold programme for the Commission's inquiry, including:

(1) The part which the price system is playing in the direction of production.

(2) An analysis of the relationship between income, investment, and production within the present system.

(3) Examination of the feasibility of price control to maintain stability both of internal prices and international exchange.

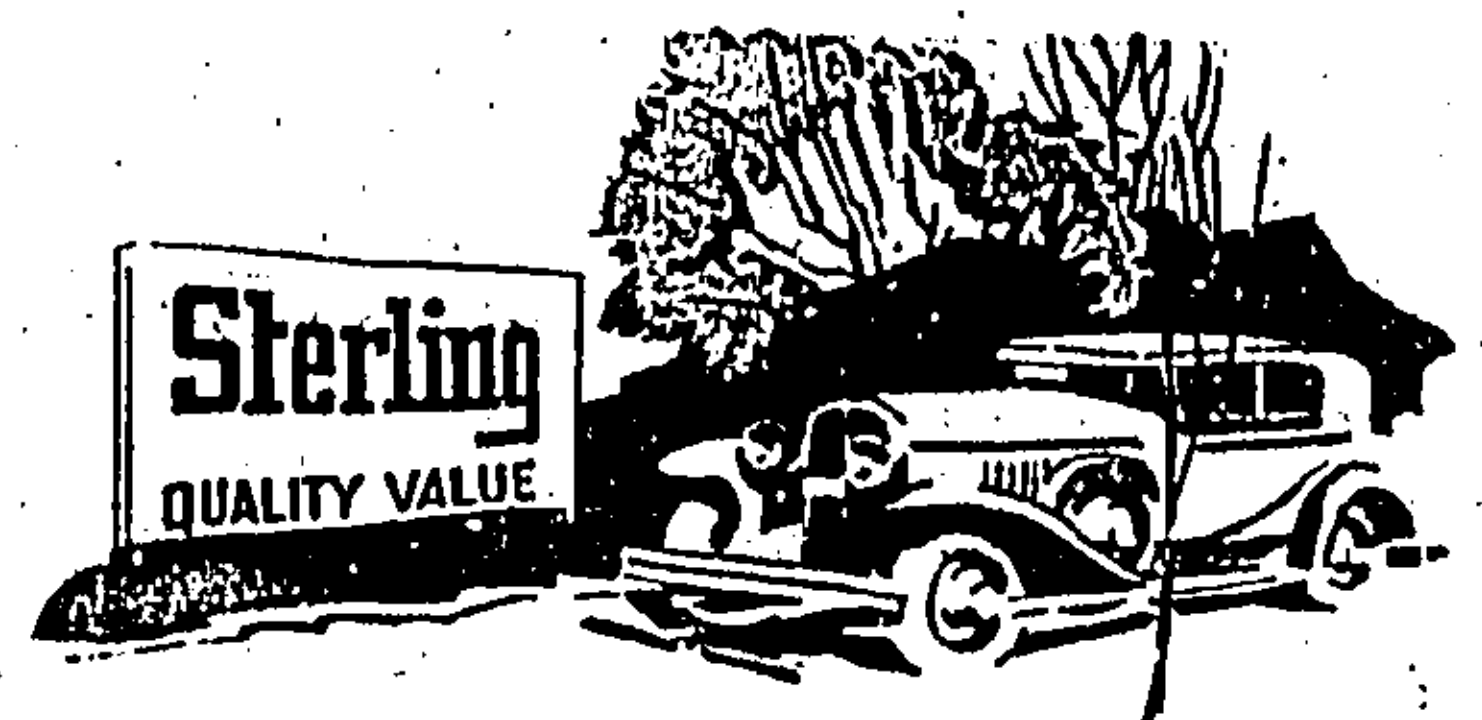
(4) Examination of the adequacy of the present monetary systems under modern industrial conditions.

(5) Examination of the economic consequences of the improvement of productive technique.

(6) Formulation of policies from a survey of the foregoing problems.

Headed by Mr. Robert H. MacIver, Professor of Philosophy at Columbia University, the Commission includes ten other Professors, and such publicists and economists as Mr. Edmund Day, of Rockefeller Foundation; Mr. Walter Lippmann, journalist; Mr. Benjamin Anderson, of the Chase National Bank; and Mr. Georg Soule, of the "New Republic."

Mr. Butler says the inquiry will deal particularly with the difficulties arising from the fact that the technique of exchange have evolved semi-independently and are not now functioning harmoniously.



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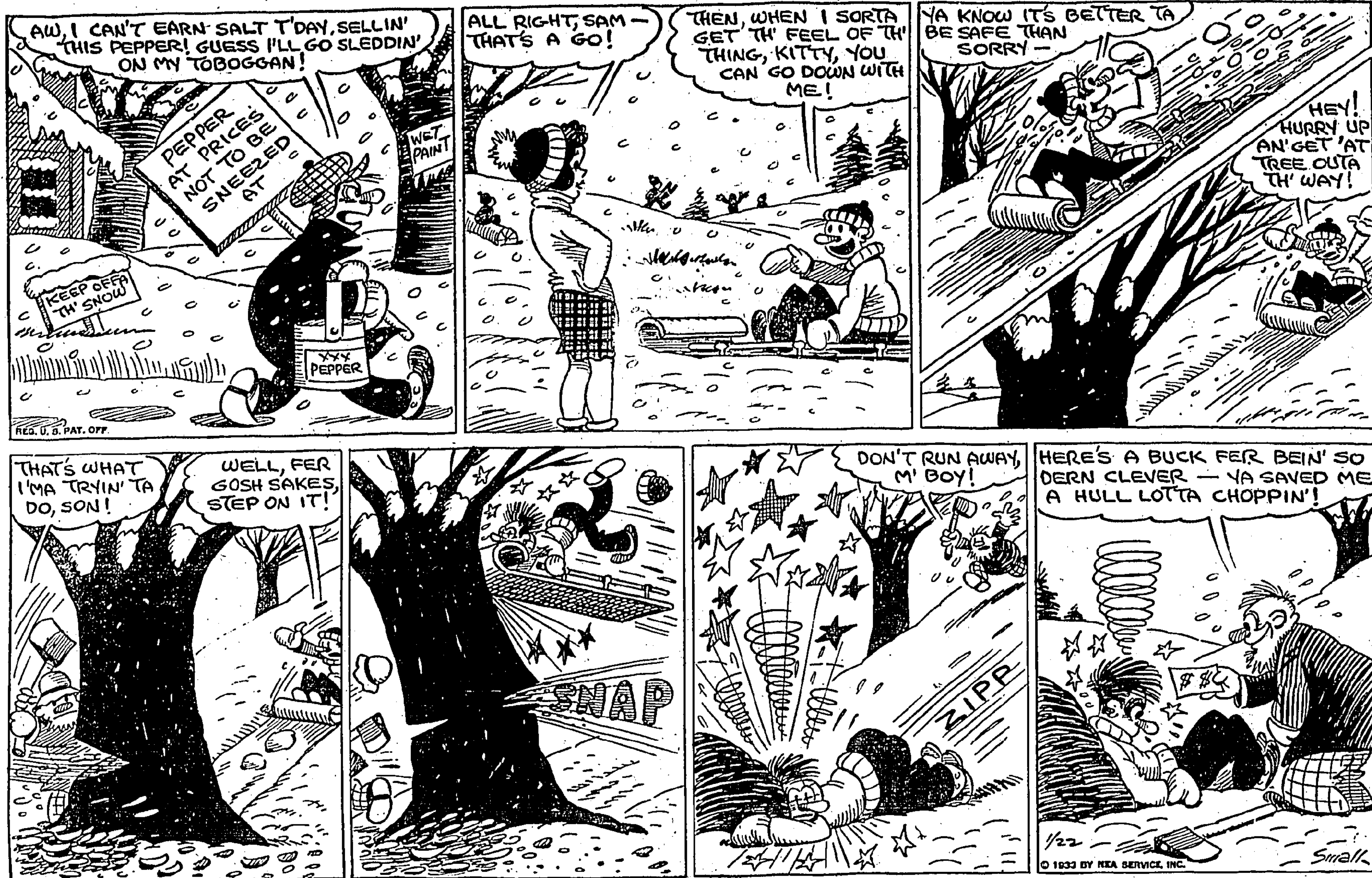




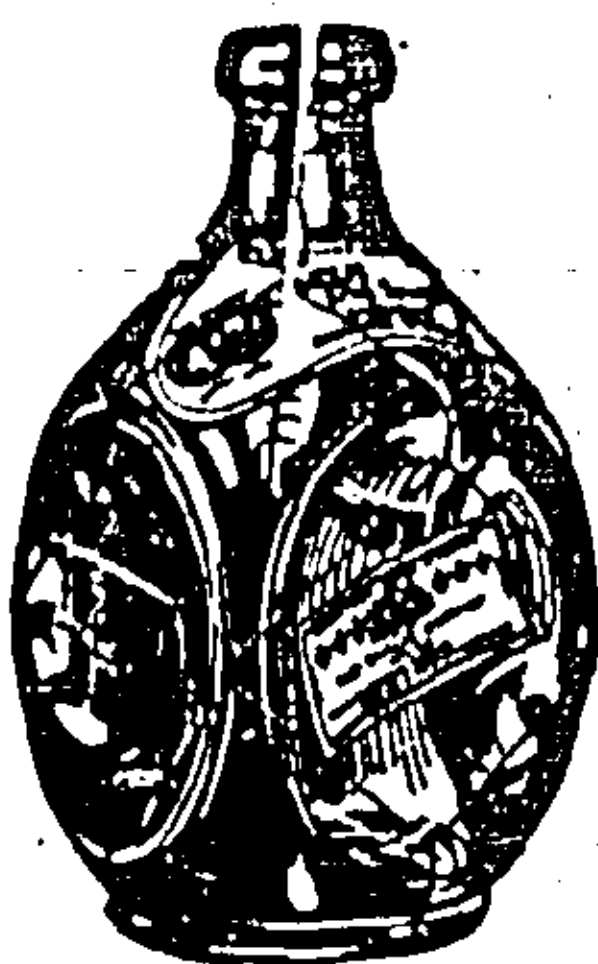
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OLD BRITISH EXPORT TO AMERICA

Mr. Wallace Attwood, speaking at the annual dinner of the Wallace Attwood Marketing Association, gave the following qualifications as necessary for the successful salesman:

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The fluency of the platform orator.

The experience of the expert.

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Mr. Attwood stated that an English professor worked technocracy all out in 1926. "It was exported to America," he said, "and after acquiring a reputation over there we become interested in it again. I think that the present version should, therefore, be called 'Americanocracy'."

The idea was that machines

SHORTHAND KNOWN TO THE ANCIENTS  
PRACTISED IN DAYS OF CICERO

Lord Metson, the new President of the Pitman Fellowship, speaking at a dinner in London in celebration of the 120th anniversary of the birth of Sir Isaac Pitman, said, that shorthand was in no sense a modern invention. It was practised by the ancient Greeks. A friend of Cicero had a highly developed system, of which fragments survived and shorthand came into great request when the Christian martyrs were being tried for their lives in Rome. There was the orthographic hand which Papyrus, the alarist, practised. It was in the middle of last century that the modern phonetic system was developed.

were overtaking man and that unless some readjustment was made man would gradually become redundant, and unemployment would be an insoluble problem.

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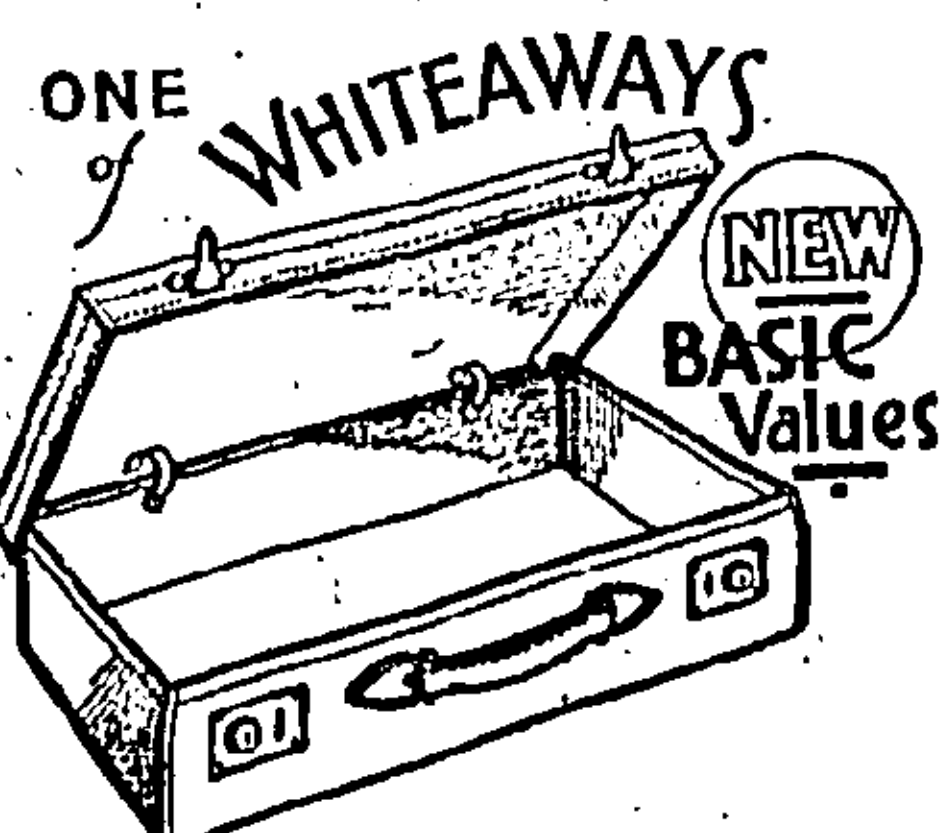
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## CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

### SERVICES CONTRACTUELS DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

The Steamship,  
"GENERAL METZINGER"  
Arrived Hongkong on Tuesday,  
the 14th February, 1933.  
From MARSEILLES &c.  
Consignees of Cargo by the above  
named steamer are hereby informed  
that their goods with the exception of  
Opium, Treasure and Valuables are  
being landed and placed at their risk  
in the Godowns of the Hongkong  
Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd.,  
Kowloon, whence delivery can be  
obtained as the goods are landed.  
Goods not cleared within 7 days  
including date of arrival, will be  
subject to rent.  
All claims must be sent to the  
undersigned before the Friday,  
the 24th February, 1933, or they will not  
be recognized.  
Damaged Packages must be left in  
the Godowns for examination by the  
consignees, and the Company's Sur-  
veyor Messrs. Goddard and Douglas  
at 10.00 a.m. on Monday, the 20th  
February, 1933. Consignees must  
have a Revenue Officer in attendance  
when damaged dutiable goods are  
examined by the Company's Sur-  
veyors.  
No claims will be admitted after  
the goods have left the Godowns.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected  
by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, 14th February, 1933.

### COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

#### The Steamship,

"LEHUT ST. LOUBERT DIE"  
Arrived Hongkong on Friday,  
the 17th February, 1933.  
From DUNKIRK, ANTWERP,  
LONDON, ROTTERDAM &c.  
via SHANGHAI.

Consignees of Cargo by the above  
named steamer are hereby informed  
that their goods with the exception of  
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CO. LTD., KOWLOON, whence  
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are landed.

Goods not cleared within 7 days  
including date of arrival, will be sub-  
ject to rent.  
All claims must be sent to the  
undersigned before the Monday,  
the 27th February, 1933, or they will not  
be recognized.

Damaged Packages must be left in  
the Godowns for examination by the  
consignees, and the Company's Sur-  
veyor Messrs. Goddard and Douglas  
at 10.00 a.m. on Thursday, the 23rd  
February, 1933. Consignees must  
have a Revenue Officer in attendance  
when any damaged dutiable goods are  
examined by the Company's Sur-  
veyors.

The goods have left the Godowns.  
No Fire Insurance will be effected  
by us in any case whatever.  
Hongkong, 16th December, 1932.  
No claims will be admitted after

R. OHL,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, 17th February, 1933.

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## LOCAL ESTATES

### GRANTS OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

In connection with the estate of  
Kwan Ki-sik alias Kwan Cheuk-chuen  
alias Kwan Wo-sang alias Kwan Wo-  
sang-tong, a retired merchant, late  
of 11, Hing Hon Road, and who died  
on August 15, 1932, leaving estate  
sworn under \$71,400, letters of  
administration have been granted to  
his widow, Kwan Li-shi, and Kwan  
Wong-shi and Kwan Leung-shi, his  
two concubines.

Application for re-sealing of the  
exemplification of probate of the will  
of Look Yan-kit alias Luk Tau-nam  
alias Sen Yip-tong, who died at his  
residence, 29, Upper Pickering Street,  
Singapore, on July 11, 1931, leaving  
estate valued at \$38,500, has been  
granted to Mr. D. L. Strellett, on  
behalf of Lew Seng-foon, Look Chun-  
chock, Look Chun-kwan and Look Chun-  
hong, all of Singapore.

Lung Lam (or Lung Lum) alias  
Lung Poo-lan alias Lam Lung (or  
Lung) alias Chief-Chinese Revenue  
Officer, late of 22, Tung Street, left  
estate valued at \$17,000. Letters of  
administration to the estate have  
been granted to deceased's younger  
brother, Lung Wing, deceased's  
mother, widow and concubine having  
renounced letters of administration.  
Letters of administration with the  
will annexed to the \$11,000 estate of  
Kwan Ku alias Kwan Kul-kin alias  
Kwan Fat-hoi, late of 71, Bonham  
Strand, have been granted to his son,  
Kwan Kong-nam.

Mrs. Hilda Marion Lintott, late of  
Barham Glebe, Claydon, Ipswich, in  
the county of Suffolk, and formerly  
of Colombo, Ceylon, who died at the  
Burlington Nursing Home, Ipswich,  
on April 23, 1932, left estate valued  
at \$7,700. Application for the re-  
sealing of a sealed copy of the pro-  
bate of the will and affidavits has been  
granted to Mr. G. G. N. Tinson for  
deceased's husband, Lieut. A. J. C.  
Lintott, of Barham Glebe, Ipswich.

## SHAW IN SHANGHAI

### AIMS HIS SHAFTS AT IRELAND

Shanghai, Feb. 17.

Leaving for Woonsoon early this  
morning, Madame Sun Yat-sen  
breakfasted with Bernard Shaw on  
the Empress of Britain. Mr. Shaw  
landed early this afternoon and  
motored to Mr. Sun Fo's residence  
where he chatted with Madame  
Sun Yat-sen.

News agency and newspaper  
correspondents scoured the town  
for him and eventually traced and  
besieged him there.

Interviewed by Reuters this after-  
noon, Mr. Shaw indulged in his  
usual provocative and unexpected  
remarks. Aligning himself with  
Jesus, Joan of Arc and Socrates,  
Mr. Shaw declared that if the  
people of the world knew what he  
was driving at they would sum-  
marily exterminate him. He had  
no set views on anything except  
Socialism.

Mr. Shaw wanted to know "what  
that fellow de Valera is?" "He has  
heard he was a Filipino who had  
got tired of the tropics so he  
started something hot in the  
Emerald Isle. de Valera had no  
improved conditions in Ireland but  
perhaps this was due to the  
age-old Irish custom of electing  
50 men to govern the country and  
then appointing 50 more to pre-  
vent them governing."

Mr. Shaw was disgusted with  
the ridiculous opposition to Com-  
munism in every country he had  
visited. The so-called Com-  
munists in China were not Com-  
munists but pirates, who looked  
their fellowmen. —Reuters's Morn-  
ing Post Special.

### I.L.D. CERTIFICATES.

I. L. D. Certificates of the Societe  
Internationale de Placements, Basle  
(Switzerland) Local Agents Messrs.  
A. Goette & Co., yesterday's official  
quotation in Basle, excluding  
dividends accrued, is £2.13.9d.

## CINEMA SCREENINGS

### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

The business of being funny is  
serious work to Olsen and Johnson,  
the well known stage and screen  
comic duo. They are now in "Fifty  
Million Frenchmen," the Warner Bros.  
and Vitaphone Technicolor laugh  
special which is opening to-day at the  
Queen's Theatre. They work harder  
to make other people laugh than  
most folks do in an effort to make  
their first million dollars or meet the  
next payment on the radio. Their  
constant quest for new gags, funny  
situations, and comedy lines, even  
surpasses the earnestness of a stock  
exchange floor operator trying to  
load on a falling market with two  
minutes to go before the exchange  
closes. Their mobile countenances  
assume a rigid seriousness when work-  
ing over a comedy situation which  
later will throw huge audiences into  
"rings of laughter." On the stage or  
screen, everyone will regularly merrily  
pair. But off the screen they are  
all business, constantly inventing new  
laughs, thinking up funny ideas, and  
observing comic occurrences that  
happen to them and other people  
every day. Both carry a pad and  
pencil and jot down any funny things  
that come to them or that they  
rehearse. When they have time, they  
rehearse. And in rehearsal their  
faces resemble those of a board of  
directors trying to squeeze out a  
dividend when the books fail to show  
a profit. Their next step is to try out  
the gag on a willing person or group  
of persons. If the preview audience  
puts their stamp of approval on it  
with responsive laughter, they use it.  
Even while making "Fifty Million  
Frenchmen" in which they play two  
detectives of doubtful ability, Olsen  
and Johnson tried out a number of  
new gags on members of the cast and  
crowd before recording them. Others  
in the cast of "Fifty Million French-  
men" were William Gaxton, John  
H. Day, Helen Broderick, Claude  
Rains, Nat Carr, Vera Gordon and  
Lester Crawford.

### "Six Hours To Live"

"Six Hours To Live," which gives  
Warner Baxter the most dramatic  
role of his career on the screen, will  
be the film feature on the King's  
Theatre's programme starting to-  
morrow. Sharing top-line honours  
with Baxter are John Boles and  
Miriam Jordan, the latter a beautiful  
young English actress, who makes  
her screen debut in this Fox Film  
production. George Marion, Irene  
Ware and Beryl Mercer are also in  
the cast. "Six Hours To Live" was  
adapted by Bradley King from the  
original Morris and Morton Barauz.  
Briefly, it deals with a dramatic  
episode on international history, in  
which Baxter, as the representative  
of a small republic, successfully  
prevents the capture of a world  
ruin and plunges the world  
into a new era of peace. The  
plotter's death and are prepared to  
go through with their nefarious  
scheme, when he re-appears, the han-  
d of death miraculously stayed for  
seconds by the discovery of an eccentric  
scientist, enacted by Maurice  
Jordan, in her debut, displays  
unusual promise and she already has  
been hailed as a real "discovery".  
She has played for several years on  
the London and New York stage  
supporting such stars as "Laure"  
Marshall, Emma Best and Phil  
Cervante. William Dietrich, famous  
German-American director, produce  
his picture.

### "Laugh and Get Rich"

That dynamic little blonde comed-  
ienne, Dorothy Lee, has made her  
first venture in pictures away from  
her original managers, Bert Wheeler  
and Robert Woolsey. After entering  
films with them in "Rio Rita," and  
appearing in every one of their  
accesses up to and including "Crack-  
ed Nuts," six in all—she is now  
appearing in Radio Pictures' "Laugh  
and Get Rich," Theatre, with Edna  
Oliver, of "Cimarron" fame, and  
Hugh Herbert. "Laugh and Get  
Rich" is heralded as an intensely  
human story of contrasting small  
town and city life, and the principal  
feminine role is particularly adapted  
to Miss Lee. Opposite her in the  
romance is Russell Gleason. Radio  
true to life.

## CASE STOPPED.

### WITNESSES FAIL TO SATISFY MAGISTRATE

On account of unsatisfactory  
evidence by people from the shop,  
a case yesterday in which V.  
Clarke, a seaman of H.M.S. Proteus,  
was accused of stealing a watch  
worth \$3 from a Wanchai shop-  
keeper, was abruptly stopped and  
the defendant acquitted.

Chan Cheuk-wa, an accountant of  
the Kwong Loi, 38 Queen's Road  
East, stated that Clarke came in  
with another sailor, and after  
asking to be shown a watch, passed  
it to his companion who walked out  
with it. Because Clarke had prom-  
ised payment he was held as res-  
ponsible.

Cross-examined by Mr. R. A.  
Wadson, on behalf of Clarke, wit-  
nesses, who had previously said he  
had Clarke searched by the police,  
admitted that he was not sure that  
the watch had changed hands.  
Witness finally admitted he did not  
see the alleged act.

Evidence given by another told  
from the shop also proved unsatis-  
factory, and without making any  
comment, Mr. Wynne-Jones ordered  
the second man from the witness-  
box and discharged the defendant.

## P.C. ACQUITTED.

### DELAY IN ARREST LEADS TO MICONDUCT CHARGE

After a long hearing, Wong  
Man, a Cantonese policeman, who  
was accused of misconduct, was  
acquitted yesterday afternoon.

On January 14, P. C. Wong  
Man stopped a woman in the  
street and after finding 20 taels  
of contraband opium on her,  
told a man who was accompany-  
ing her to carry the drug to a  
cafe, later grandstanding contact  
with his relatives for the purpose  
of raising the Police bail required.  
In the interim of waiting for the  
money, the man was taken to a  
house in Circular Pathway. There  
he was subsequently discovered by  
other police.

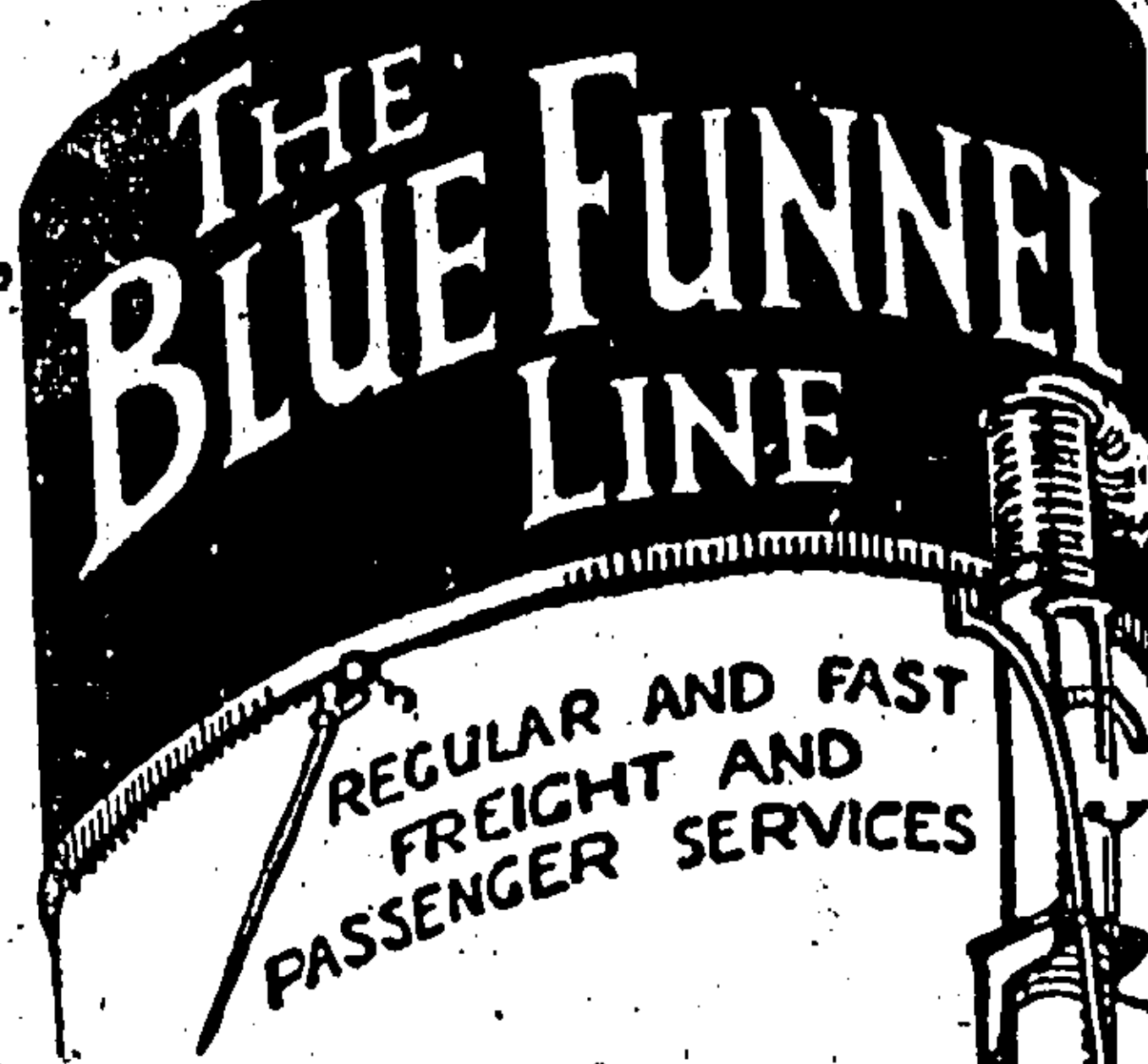
The misconduct mentioned in the  
charge was that of delaying bring-  
ing the prisoners to the Police  
Station.

After the defence had been con-  
cluded by Mr. F. H. Losby yester-  
day, Mr. Schofield found the case  
inconclusive and acquitted the de-  
fendant.

Officials offered to star Miss Lee in  
a picture prior to the filming of "Laugh  
and Get Rich," but she talked them  
out of the notion. She wanted to get  
a little more experience before  
entering into stardom—less than  
two years after her entry into films  
from New York musical comedy.  
And not more than two years before,  
as a high school girl dancing with  
"John and Marco in Los Angeles,  
"Miss Lee tried in vain to "crash" the  
very studio at which she soon is to be  
tared.

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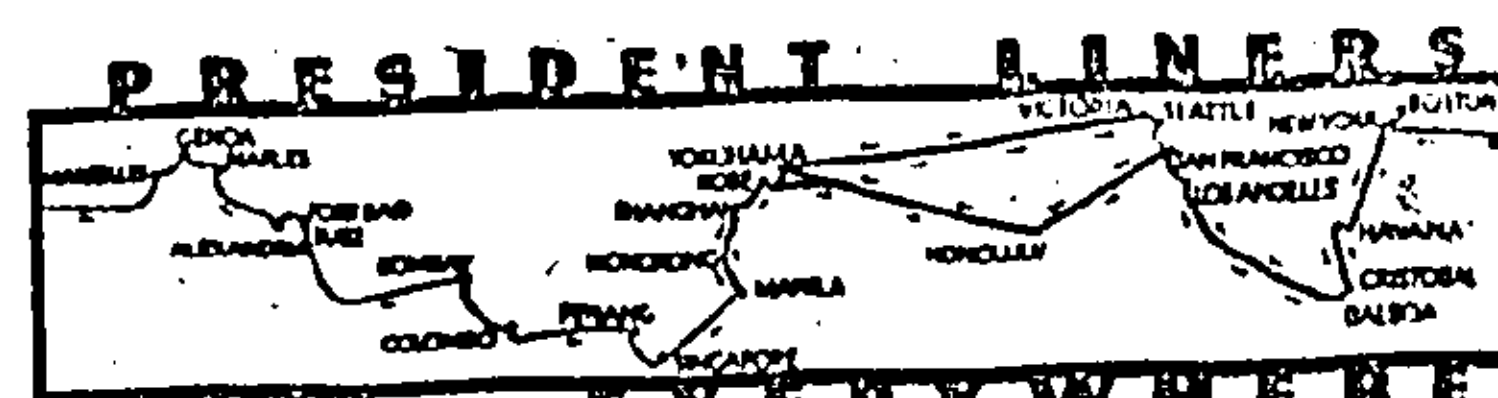
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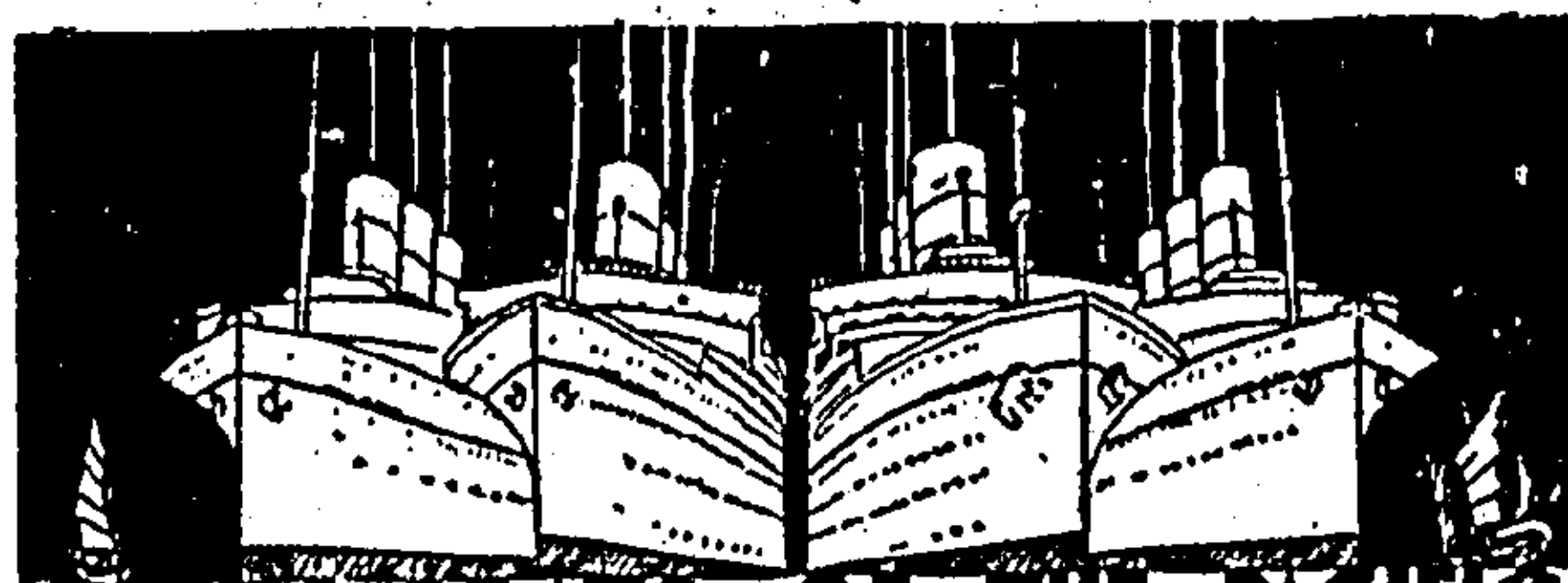
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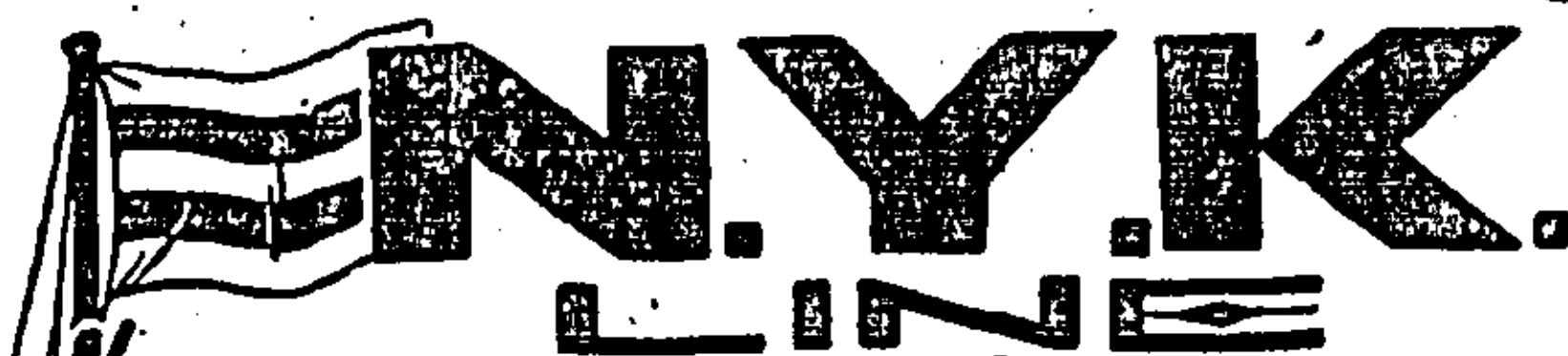
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An explained in my previous article, the first bid to learn is the sign-off bid. Learn when to sign off, when to recognize a sign-off bid, and be sure to use it whenever in doubt.

The most important bid in the system is the constructive bid. As stated, this bid invites, but does not demand, a response from partner.

An opening bid is termed a constructive bid. It is not necessary for partner to make a jump shift force to continue the bidding. He realizes when the original bidder opens the bidding that he is endeavouring to locate the best spot at which to play the hand.

Therefore, if you hold any promising cards, make a constructive bid. Now partner, if he has not already shown the full strength of his hand, will make another constructive bid. When a side has made three constructive bids, game is probable. When a side makes four constructive bids, game is practically certain.

You may ask, "How shall I recognize constructive bids?" Any bid that is not a sign-off bid is a constructive bid.

For example, the opening bidder bids one heart. This is a constructive bid. Partner bids one no trump—a sign-off bid.

Now, supposing the original bidder bids two diamonds. This would be a constructive bid asking partner to make a choice of your two suits and also informing him that, even though he has signed off, you have a very good hand and are willing to make a further try on the hand.

If partner were now to respond with two hearts, this would not be a constructive bid—he would be rebidding a suit already named by you and would simply be taking a choice of your two suits. As a matter of fact, he has made a double sign-off bid and you should not proceed further with the hand.

Supposing that you had opened with one heart and partner had bid two clubs. While this is a takeout in another suit and it may be made with a hand none too strong, however, it is constructive in nature. Partner at least has offered something new.

Now, if you bid two diamonds, you are making a third constructive bid, which is a try for game, and should not be passed by partner unless his first constructive bid is extremely weak.

As a matter of fact, the writer prefers that when a second suit is shown after partner has made a constructive bid, that the second suit shown should be treated as a forcing bid—not a game demand force, and one that should be termed a temporary force.

The temporary forces are as follows:

The showing of a second suit.  
The one over one force, and  
The informative double.

Note: The one over one forcing bid plays only a part in the complete one over one system of contract bidding.

JAPAN REJECTS  
PROPOSALSTOKYO CABINET  
MEETS

Tokyo, Feb. 17.

All newspapers report that a special Cabinet Council will be held to-day to consider the League's Recommendations, but according to the Yomiuri, the Cabinet will hold a two-day conference, at which, to-day, it will decide the question whether Japan should withdraw from the League, while to-morrow it will decide the question of Jehol.

In a press interview last night General Araki, Minister for War, declared that a final decision had not yet been taken. He expressed the belief that Japan would be compelled to withdraw from the League as the recommendations were so entirely opposed to Japan's fixed policies regarding recognition of Manchukuo, direct negotiations between Japan and China and the stationing of troops in Manchuria.—Reuter.

Recommendations Rejected.

Tokyo, Feb. 17.

The Cabinet is understood to have decided to reject the League recommendations and maintain recognition of Manchukuo and direct negotiation with China.

If the Assembly passes the recommendations Japan will make a counterstatement and vote against the report, and if the Assembly passes the report, the Japanese delegate will withdraw to London or Paris and await developments.—Reuter.

In Manchuria.

Harbin, Feb. 16.

The Volunteers have occupied Miaoan and Hulin, following the withdrawal of the Japanese troops from those places.

Four hundred well-armed Volunteers stoutly withstood for 35 hours the siege by Japanese forces of Tsachenfang, but finally the Volunteers withdrew to the East and to the West. The Japanese admit that five were killed and five wounded.—Reuter.

## OBITUARY

VETERAN JOURNALIST  
PASSES

London, Feb. 17.

The death occurred here to-day of Sir Robert Donald, veteran newspaper proprietor, journalist and publisher.

Sir Robert, who was born in Banffshire, Scotland, in 1861, entered journalism at an early age and had experience in Edinburgh, Northampton, Paris, New York and London. He became Editor of the London Daily Chronicle in 1902 and held that position until 1918 and was Managing Director of United Newspapers Limited. He retained an interest in several London newspapers and had been Chairman and Managing Director of Everyman Publishing Company Ltd. for several years. He founded the Municipal Journal in 1893 and Municipal Year Book.

When the British Empire Exhibition was held in 1924, Sir Robert was appointed Chairman of the Publicity Committee. He was responsible for the inquiry which led to the reorganisation of the exhibition.

Sir Robert's public services extended to several Committees mainly on wireless and transport. He was knighted in 1924.—Reuter and I. B. S.

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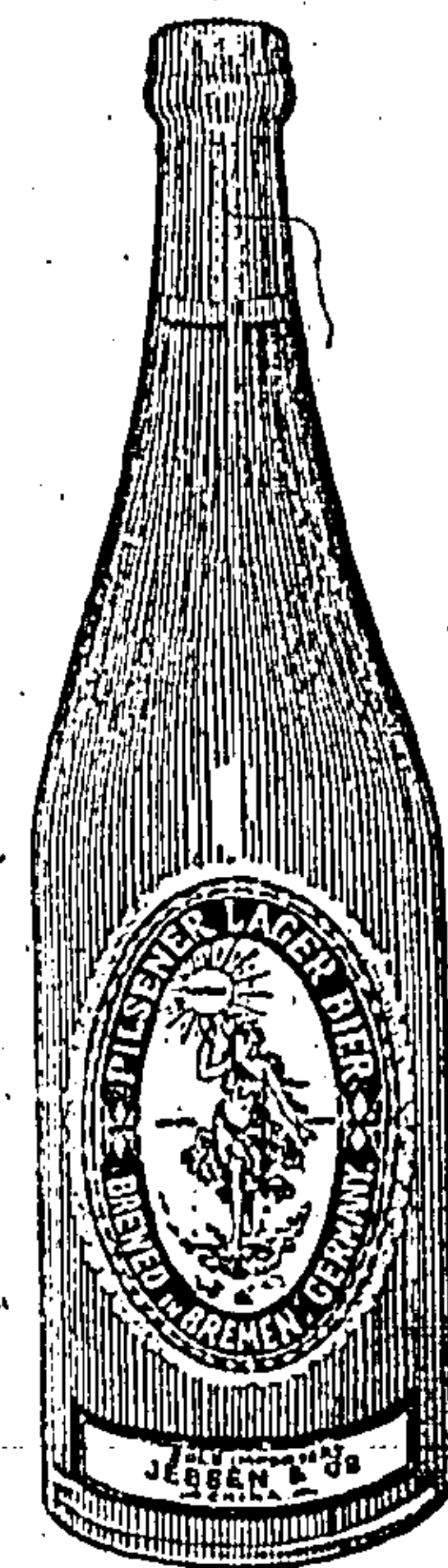
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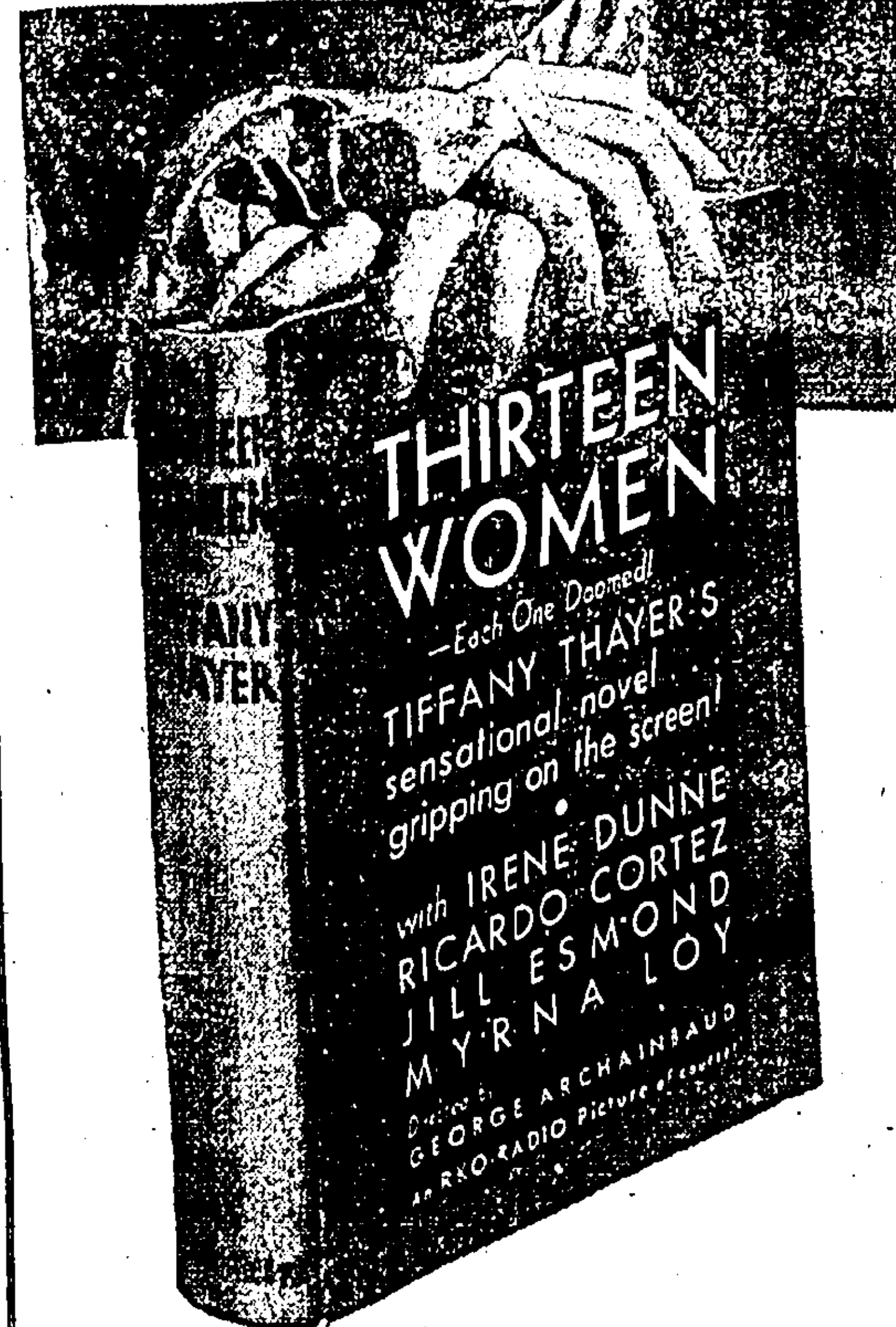
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### SMALL HAUL BY RAIDERS

A piracy on a junk in British waters, between Lung Sha Wan and Kau Sai, in the Kung District, was committed yesterday afternoon by four men who were armed with three revolvers and four daggers.

A shop foki of the Shaukiwan district who was on board the junk reported the incident to the Sai Kung police last night. He stated that together with another foki and two women, he had gone to Lung Sha Wan from Sai Kung at 7 a.m. yesterday and there bought 480 catties of dried seaweed.

The junk then went to Kau Sai and when halfway between the two places he saw a small Hoklo boat approaching, with four men on board. The craft drew alongside and the four men boarded the junk, the occupants of which were threatened by the pirates.

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## LEAGUE PUBLISHES REPORT.

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the same article. The Report is a lengthy document of some 16,000 words.

The Assembly recommends the evacuation of Japanese troops from Manchuria, within a reasonable time, an organisation under the sovereignty of and compatible with the administrative integrity of China, which would provide a wide measure of autonomy in harmony with local conditions and respect the rights and interests of Japan and any third party.

### NEW REGIME.

It is further recommended that there should be established in Manchuria, within a reasonable time, an organisation under the sovereignty of and compatible with the administrative integrity of China, which would provide a wide measure of autonomy in harmony with local conditions and respect the rights and interests of Japan and any third party.

As has already been reported, the recommendations provide for the Negotiating Committee to be set up after China and Japan have accepted the recommendations, the United States and Russia being invited to participate.

The League Assembly will meet on Tuesday to take note of the failure of conciliation, and on Friday, it will be asked to accept the report and recommendations which it will undoubtedly do.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

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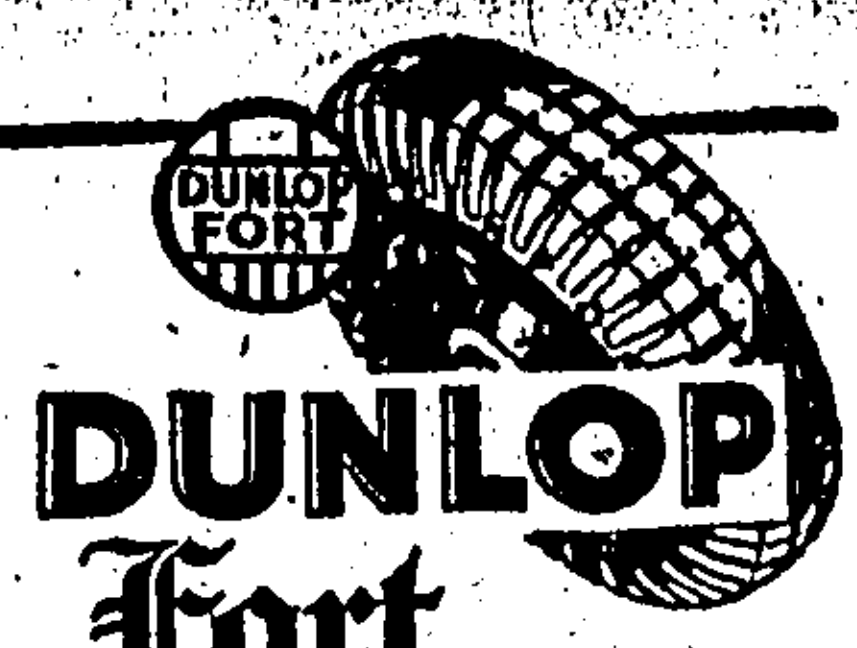
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## ULTIMATUM ISSUED TO CHINESE AT KAILU

### COO COO BAY BEATEN

SENSATION ON FIRST DAY OF RACES

HEARD'S SMART VICTORY

DEAD HEAT IN FOURTH EVENT

A big sensation was created on the opening day of the Hongkong Races when Coo Coo Bay, the Derby favourite, was decisively beaten in the Maiden Stakes by Cossack's Beauty, which romped home to win by many lengths.

Coo Coo Bay, ridden by Mr. Hill, went out a firm favourite, no fewer than 1,484 winning pari-mutuel tickets being taken out on him, but Mr. Heard, on Cossack's Beauty, had no difficulty in winning a finely-ridden race. The Derby favourite's defeat was witnessed by a large crowd.

Coo Coo Bay's ability to win the Derby is now very much open to question, and attention is likely to be turned in the direction of Trentbridge, second favourite for the classic event.

The weather was rather dull and somewhat cold when the Meeting opened, and the attendance was mediocre until after the fifth adjournment, this being reflected in the sweepstake and pari-mutuel returns. His Excellency the Governor arrived shortly after 1 p.m.

The course proved very fast, and some keen struggles were witnessed. (Continued on Page 13.)



Picture shows the ruins of Chinese barracks at Nanling, after a bombardment. There was a further push between the Japanese and Chinese in this locality yesterday.

### SUICIDE AT G.C.H.

MR. SHAND FOUND DEAD

The death occurred under tragic circumstances this morning of Mr. J. T. Shand, assistant apothecary in the Medical Department, who was found lying dead at his desk in the dispensary of the Government Civil Hospital.

It was shortly before nine o'clock that a hospital attendant had occasion to go into the dispensary, and on entering the room he saw Mr. Shand lying across the desk at which he usually worked. An examination showed that Mr. Shand was dead. The police were later called in, and as the result of investigations they state the circumstances of the death indicate the probability of suicide by poisoning.

The late Mr. Shand joined the Government service in 1924, prior to which he was for several years employed by The Pharmacy. He was 39 years of age.

The deceased leaves a widow and two children, with whom much sympathy will be felt.

### WAR RISK INSURANCE CANCELLED

ADJUSTMENT LIKELY ON NEW SCALE

London, Feb. 18. It is announced that Lloyd's are, as from Monday next, cancelling war risks in all open covers contracts on voyages to, from and through China and Japan.

This step is precautionary and will enable adjustments to be made, including reinstatement of risk at a special rate.—Reuter.

### AUSTRIA ARMS FIND

STRONG ANGLO-FRENCH NOTE ALLEGED

### INDIGNATION IN ITALY

Rome, Feb. 18. Great indignation has been aroused in Italy by the publication of a report in the *Giornale d'Italia*, Mussolini's organ, from its Paris correspondent, alleging that France, with the adherence of Britain, has sent Austria an unusually strong Note regarding arms movements.

It is stated that the Note was despatched as a result of the discovery made that a large number of rifles and machine-guns had been sent to the Austrian arms factory at Hirtenburg from Italy for reconditioning.

The Paris correspondent declares that the French Note voices the allegation that these arms were intended for the secret arming of Austrian Fascists.

The Note is said to demand that the arms be sent back to Italy or destroyed and a sworn assurance to the effect that such action has been taken given to the British and French representatives.—Reuter.

### MR. ROOSEVELT IN NEW YORK

PLATOONS OF POLICE GUARDS

(Special to "Telegraph")

New York, Feb. 17. Mr. Franklin Roosevelt's return to New York was marked by the most elaborate precautions.

A crowd of about a thousand welcomed him at Jersey City where five hundred police and detectives immediately surrounded him and escorted him to the ferry for Manhattan Island, where two hundred police conducted him by a secret route to his home.—Reuter.

### OFFICER "SPY" SENSATION

G.C.M. DATE NOT YET FIXED

London, Feb. 17. The War Office announces that the officer under arrest in the Tower of London is Lieutenant N. Ballie-Stewart, of the Seaforth Highlanders, who will be charged with committing breaches of the Official Secrets Act.

He will be tried by General Court Martial, but the date has not yet been fixed.—Reuter.

A Proclamation by H.E. the Governor orders the Factories and Workshops Ordinance to come into operation on March 1st.

Local Weather Forecast:—N.E. winds, fresh; fair.

### FIRST THREAT OF HOSTILITIES

BEING IGNORED BY THE CHINESE

PEKING, FEB. 18.

A CHINESE OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE REPORTS THAT THE JAPANESE COMMANDER AT TUNGIAO HAS DELIVERED AN ULTIMATUM TO THE CHINESE COMMANDER AT KAILU, IN THE NORTH-EAST CORNER OF JEHOL, ONE OF THE POINTS OF THE INTENDED INVASION, ORDERING HIM TO EVACUATE THE CITY IMMEDIATELY, OTHERWISE HE WILL BE ATTACKED.

THE CHINESE HAVE DECIDED TO IGNORE THE THREAT.—Reuter.

### MANCHUKUO ALREADY DOOMED

"SPECTATOR'S" VIEWS

### JAPAN UNEQUAL TO VENTURE

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, Feb. 17. The fate of Manchukuo is already sealed in the view of the majority of the week-end reviews.

The effect of the League resolution, which the United States certainly, and the U.S.S.R. probably, will endorse is that there will be no government in the world which will recognise Manchukuo as an independent State, says the *Spectator*.

No money market would countenance the floating of a Manchukuo loan, while, in the circumstances, the likelihood of money for Manchukuo being forthcoming from either official or private Japanese sources is small, according to this journal.

POWERFUL WEAPON. This, it is pointed out, emphasizes the value of one weapon which the League can always bring into play without going to the length of discussing active sanctions.

Meanwhile, the League clearly cannot content itself with voting for the Committee of Nineteen's Report and Recommendations and then washing its hands of the matter.

MAIN OBJECTS. There are two main objects to be attained.

The first is the establishment of a regime in Manchuria based upon an agreement between China, Japan and the League and owing nothing to the support of Japanese bayonets.

The second necessity is the restoration of relations of normal cordiality between Japan and the League.

For the moment, Japan may leave the League and force may prevail in Manchukuo and Jehol, but it seems inevitable that Japan will prove unequal to the adventure.

### "CHINA HOUSE" OPENED

FIFTEEN-YEAR-OLD DREAM

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, Feb. 18. The centralisation of practically all Chinese organisations in London was inaugurated at the opening of China House, prominent members of the China Society and other organisations being present.

Mr. S. Sze, son of Dr. Alfred Sze, in a speech of welcome to the visitors, referred to the realisation of their 15-year-old dream.

A message was read from the Chinese General d'Affaires, Mr. Quo Tai-chi, who was unavoidably absent by reason of pressure of work in connection with the Sino-Japanese crisis. He said he welcomed the inauguration of this centre which would promote Sino-British relations and be a home for Chinese students and travellers, and would represent the beginning of better and closer understanding between men's minds in both countries.—Reuter.

### LEAGUE PUBLISHES REPORT

NOTABLE TRIUMPH FOR LYTTON MISSION

### VERDICT AGAINST JAPAN

Geneva, Feb. 17.

The Committee of Nineteen's Report was issued for publication to-day and it marks a notable triumph for the Lytton Report.

Practically the whole of the Lytton Report is embodied in the Committee's Report in some form or other.

It opens with the first eight chapters of the Lytton Report, which it describes as a balanced, impartial and detailed statement of the historical background.

Then follows a very complete historical review of events since September 18, 1931, when the Japanese captured Mukden.

Proceeding, it details the League's attempts to curtail the conflict, citing various League resolutions, together with the League Covenant, the Kellogg Pact and the Nine-Power Treaty, upon which its ultimate recommendations are based.

TEN PRINCIPLES. The recommendations quote textually the Lytton Report including the ten principles laid down in Chapter Nine. These principles will be the guiding lines for the Negotiation Committee (which, however, is never likely to operate).

The Report throughout emphasises that the sovereignty of Manchuria belongs to China and that it has been infringed by Japan.

It insists upon the rectification of this infringement by the withdrawal of Japanese troops and so on.

NO RECOGNITION. While the recommendations do not provide for a mere return to the status quo of September, 1931, they exclude the maintenance and recognition of Manchukuo as incompatible with the fundamental principles of international obligations and lasting peace in the Far East.

It is added fellow members of the League will continue not to recognise this regime, either *de jure* or *de facto*.

15,000-WORD DOCUMENT. The Report been prepared in accordance with Article 15, Paragraph 4, of the League Covenant, following the failure of the committee to effect a settlement by conciliation, under paragraph 8 of (Continued on Page 18.)

### PRESSURE ON JAPAN

EARL OF LYTTON'S THREE STEPS

LEAGUE POWER

STUDENTS' WRONG IMPRESSION



The Earl of Lytton.

### ARMAMENT WORD WAR

FRANCO-GERMAN CLASH

SPIRITED DEBATE AT GENEVA

(Special to "Telegraph")

Geneva, Feb. 17. France and Germany diplomatically crossed swords at to-day's meeting of the Disarmament Conference.

The clash developed when the French proposal for the standardisation of European Continental arms, with short service and limited effectiveness, was debated.

M. Pierre Cot, the French delegate, alluded to associations in certain countries which though legal might do much to foster the military spirit.

Dr. Nodolny, the chief German delegate, disagreed that standardisation was a necessary condition of a reduction of armaments.

He said that Germany was being asked to transform her army. This demanded a close examination. In the meantime, he declined to admit any shadow of reproach against his country.—Reuter.

DESIRE TO CORRECT. "I am not complaining that anything was attributed to me which I did not actually say, yet the impression created by the report was that I expressed the opinion that if the Report and recommendations of the League Assembly were ignored, there was no further action which the League could take.

"That is certainly not my opinion. I want to take this opportunity of correcting that impression.

"If either of the parties to the dispute refuses to accept the proffered assistance of the League and acts in a manner contravening the Covenant, then the resources of the League are by no means exhausted.

WAR NO REMEDY. "I did express the view that going to war to enforce peace seemed to me to be no remedy and I also said that a universal economic blockade cutting off all exports from Japan was not only cruel in operation because it would penalise the innocent population rather than the transgressing government, but that it would almost certainly precipitate an actual state of war."

"But," added the Earl of Lytton, "there are many other forms of pressure which could be exercised, such as an embargo upon the sale of arms or a refusal of financial assistance to a defaulting State or the withdrawal of diplomatic representatives.

DECISION OF GOVERNMENTS. "I am not saying that any of these steps should be taken at present, or at any particular stage, because obviously it must be for the responsible governments to decide the time and the manner of exercising pressure.

"I only want to make it clear that I do not exclude those from the steps which may be taken if and when it becomes necessary."

—Reuter.

### GERMAN DEBT AGREEMENT

BREATHING SPACE ONLY

Berlin, Feb. 17.

The short-term debts involved in the new Standstill Agreement announced approximate to £185,000,000, at par.

The agreement is the result of three weeks' work in conference. Two documents have been issued, namely, the report of the Foreign Creditors Standstill Committee and the German Credit Agreement, 1933.

The first emphasises that the standstill is not a cure but gives a breathing space for more permanent action.

Foreign creditors have agreed to reduce the interest rates on loans to German banks and industry from 5 per cent. to 4½ and from 6 per cent. to 5½; and on bills of exchange from 1½ per cent. to 5/8ths.

EFFECTIVE EFFORT. The report shows that Germany has made an effective effort. She has met promptly all the standstill interest payments and reduced her standstill indebtedness by nearly 14 per cent.

There will be a further substantial reduction in standstill indebtedness during the currency of the new agreement, as it will include the cancellation of unavancements and payments by the Gold Discount Bank and the operation of Clause 10 of the new agreement, which permits, at stated periods, calls upon German debtors for repayments of Reichsmarks to the Reichsbank, which will act as trustee of the creditors.—Reuter.

### CONCERT CANCELLED

Owing to the sudden illness of two of the principal performers, the M.C.L. concert at the Cathedral Hall this afternoon is cancelled.

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No. 142	£1,038.60
394	£1,038.60
442	£230.80
Unplaced ponies (£50 each):—	
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Race 5.	
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468	£227.40
Unplaced ponies (£50 each):—	
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Race 6.	
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# SPOTLIGHT

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

SHEILA SHAYNE, 18, whose parents were well known vaudeville actors, is in New York looking for work. Sheila is a dancer. She has spent almost her entire life on the stage, first travelling with her parents, now dead, and later in vaudeville and road shows. Sheila lives at MA. LOWELL'S theatre, a vaudeville performer who has a rooming house. Over the breakfast table one morning Sheila confides to Bill that her great ambition is to marry a man like those she has seen in small towns in which she has played. Ma Lowell interrupts them to announce that a telephone call has come for Sheila. It is an offer for her to sit in for Miss GLEASON, another dancer, who has sprained her ankle. Sheila agrees and sets off for JOE PARIS' office to rehearse.

### CHAPTER V.

Joe Paris moved toward the practice room followed by the other two men. "Miss Shayne is booked at Jackson Heights tonight," he said.

Without preamble Joe opened the door. This time there was no halting or stop or cessation of the music. It was Joe, the great Paris, and welcome indeed! Joe's presence in a practice room always meant something. Sheila continued with the difficult routine. She was dancing beautifully.

Her eyes met Dick Stanley's as, without stopping, she glided swiftly down the room. She smiled guardedly, a trifle mischievously. So he was a friend of Joe's! Maybe he had brought Joe back. Maybe he was a producer! She decided against this almost immediately, tapping energetically, skimming like a bird across the room, breaking into kicks, tapping again. It wasn't that the newcomer was too young to be a producer! They could be as young as they pleased, providing they had money. This young man was too interested in the things about him. He didn't look bored. And a producer has to learn very early to look bored and unimpressed if he doesn't want to be besieged by would-be hangers-on at every turn.

Sheila didn't think the other man was a producer either. Had he been filling the cast of a show he would have watched her for a few minutes and then disappeared. Instead he was talking to Joe and beckoning to Bill Brady.

It was clear however that Sheila was the subject of the conversation. Tapping, whirling twirling like a flower in brisk wind, she smiled gently, eyes on the ceiling, and danced on.

"This girl's a real dancer," Bill began affably. And again Sheila smiled. Not five minutes before, when she had muffed a turn, Bill had called her hopeless. Five minutes more and he would make her the world's leading danseuse. That was show business for you.

Timmy reached the end of the theme and began again but Bill cut in briskly. "That's all, Tim. You, Shayne—come here!"

She was going to meet Joe Paris! He had noticed her! Equally marvelous, she was going to meet this boy who had been watching her. She must look a sight now, her hair every which way, her face beaming. With a crumpled little handkerchief Sheila attempted to repair the ravages of the last two hours. What a moment to come face to face with any young man!

"Well, if he likes me this way he'll like me dressed up. That's one comfort," she thought despairingly. Oddly it did not occur to her to wonder if Joe Paris liked her—Joe, whose approbation could mean instant recognition.

Bill was beaming at her as though she were one of his own prize pupils and drew her into the circle.

"Miss Shayne, Joe, Miss Shayne, Mr. Lane, and—er, your friend there—I didn't catch the name? Oh, yes, Stanley! Mr. Stanley, Sheila." Bill's voice was important. His eyes were on Joe Paris' face.

"Shayne," repeated Joe meditatively, acknowledging the girl's bow with a curt nod. "Shayne. You're Johnny Desmond's daughter, aren't you? How come you changed your name?"

"I—I wanted to make good on my own, Mr. Paris." Her voice was trembling. "I didn't want managers to hire me or agents to book me on my parents' account. You see, if I got anywhere I want it to be because I am a dancer, not because my mother and father were."

The big man nodded approvingly. "Still that doesn't keep you from inheriting Johnny's spunk," he said reflectively. "And you can dance all right. You're good!"

"Good! You can dance all right." Such words as those from Joe Paris! If Joe troubled to praise a routine it meant something. Always, considerate, always helpful to an actor in trouble

for a down-and-out, Joe never scattered undue praise.

"The kindest thing," he would repeat firmly and frequently, "the kindest thing you can do for some of them is to send them back to the five-and-dime stores. But if they are good, tell them so!"

Bill gloved at the tribute. "Mr. Lane, here," he said, indicating that gentleman, "is looking for talent."

Sheila's eyes widened expectantly.

"For a party he's giving this evening."

The girl's face fell.

"We thought perhaps you'd dance for him," Joe Paris added.

"Just a number or two. I know you're booked with Roscoe Moody in Gleason's place."

Sheila showed her surprise. So Joe Paris knew that! That he had known her father did not seem so unusual as did this exciting bit of news.

"We are playing Jackson Heights," Sheila murmured in confusion. "I've been resting lately. I'm—well, pretty stiff."

Joe grinned broadly. If he thought sore muscles a joke, Sheila decided, it must be because he had never experienced them. Or had he?

"Mm," Joe said, while Bill stood by attentively and the others remained silent. "Jackson Heights. That's Bailey's theatre? Well, after you could make it in a taxi. After the show: Just a number or so, is that right, Lane? Or a song?"

Bill leaned forward confidently, though his lowered voice reached and was meant to reach every corner in the room. "Shayne puts over a song number in great style."

Dick Stanley's pleading eyes met the girl's for an instant as she wavered.

"I would like to accommodate you," she began, then added hastily, "but I haven't been dancing. I'll be awfully tired I'm afraid."

"You seem in excellent practice," Trevor Lane began politely.

"It's not that!" Sheila flushed. "I may be too stiff by that time to dance well. Maybe you've ridden horseback—and know how difficult it is?" She laughed ruefully. "Perhaps some other time!"

Her heart was pounding, saying loudly, "You little fool! Why are you refusing? Mr. Stanley will be there! You'll see him. Maybe he will take you home. Tell him you'll be glad to fill in."

"We pay 50—"

"Seventy-five!" announced Dick

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briskly, slyly nudging Trevor. "And," grinning boyishly, "we guarantee you an awfully good time. For you'll stay for the party of course!"

This, she knew, was irregular. Unbusinesslike. They got things from you they didn't pay for—extra songs, maybe dances, even a lesson or so. The men gathered around, considering a chorus girl fair prey. The girls snubbed you if you were good-looking, or if you were clever they said catty things.

No, the wisest thing was to keep away. Still \$75 is \$75—a full wardrobe with careful buying! A new evening gown, new hat, new suit, shoes!

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"I'm sorry. I'd love to some other time. It's awfully nice of you to ask me."

"Some other time, then," Trevor Lane said simply. He did not appear even vaguely disturbed. Dick Stanley looked crest-fallen. Joe Paris regarded her doubtfully and Bill glared.

"Can't I persuade you," Dick asked in a low tone as the others moved away.

"No, really I can't do it. Not to-night."

"Suppose I leave the telephone number with the girl? Will you use it if you change your mind?"

She shook her head. "No. Well, maybe. Yes, leave it. But don't be disappointed."

"Please change your mind. I'll expect to hear from you."

Why hadn't he asked for her telephone number, Sheila wondered as he disappeared in the direction of the others. Didn't he know she had burned her bridges? That she couldn't telephone him now? He thought he could find her in the telephone book, perhaps. As if she could afford her own apartment in these days!

Sheila sighed. An opportunity had vanished. But work remained.

Doggedly she went into the routine, her clicking heels beating out the rhythm as faithful Timmy played.

(To be continued.)

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The Sanitary Board desires specially to draw the attention of the public to the danger from small-pox which is very prevalent at the present time and to the fact that full protection from the disease is afforded by vaccination. The public is invited to take advantage of the facilities for free vaccination which are available at all Government Hospitals, Chinese Hospitals and Public Dispensaries as well as at the Government Vaccination Centre adjoining the Harbour Office.

**J. H. GELLING,**  
Secretary, Sanitary Board.  
Hongkong, 16th February, 1933.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on Saturday, the 25th February, 1933, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1932.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 13th February, to Saturday, the 25th February, 1933, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
**V. M. GRAYBURN,**  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, 6th February, 1933.

### HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the EIGHTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF THE HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, 1933, at the BOARD ROOM of the Company, Second Floor, Exchange Building, Hong Kong, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors for the financial year ended 31st December, 1932, and re-electing two Directors and the Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th March to the 22nd March, 1933, both days inclusive.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1933.

By Order of the Board.

**W. L. MCKENZIE,**  
Secretary.  
14, Des Voeux Road, Central.  
Hong Kong.

### CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO. LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 5th floor, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1933, at 12 o'clock noon to receive the Directors' Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932, to elect Auditors, and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an ordinary General Meeting of the Company. And Notice is further hereby given that the Register and Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 22nd to the 28th day of February, 1933, both days inclusive.

**LIANG CHI HAO,**  
Managing Director.  
Hongkong, 14th February, 1933.

## CHURCH NOTICES

### Sexagesima Sunday

#### ST. ANDREWS CHURCH.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at St. Andrew's Church:  
Sunday, February 19.  
Sexagesima Sunday.  
8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.  
10 a.m. Young People's Service and Primar Sunday School.  
11 a.m. Choral Communion and Sermon. Preacher—The Vicar.  
3 p.m. Confirmation Class. Sunday School.  
6 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Preacher, Rev. P. M. Doddwell, B.D., R.N.

**Oxford Group Movement.**  
A meeting of those interested in the Oxford Group Movement will be held in the Vicarage at 9 p.m. on Sunday evening.

**Church Council.**  
There will be a meeting of the Church Council at 6 p.m. on Monday, the 20th inst.

**Dramatic Entertainment.**  
At 9.15 p.m. on Monday a Dramatic Entertainment will be held in the Church Hall under the auspices of St. Andrew's Club. Tickets \$1 including tax. The entertainment will include musical items and two sketches.

### METHODIST CHURCH (Wanchai).

The following are the forthcoming services to be held at the Methodist Church (opposite R. N. Hospital, Queen's Road, E.)

Sunday, February 19.  
Morning Service, 10.15 a.m.  
Preacher, Rev. E.C.H. Tribbeck.  
Sunday School, 3 p.m. Final meeting for the Winter season. To be addressed by Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Evening Service, 6 p.m.  
Preacher—Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Friday, February 24.  
Weekly Prayer Meeting, 7.30 p.m.

**SAILORS' & SOLDIERS' HOME.**  
Saturday, February 18.  
A "Ramble," leaving the Home at 2 p.m., which will include a five mile walk, amid delightful scenery and company, at a cost of about 10 cents.

Badminton Tournament, 2.30 p.m.  
Sunday, February 19.  
Christian Social Hour, 8.15 p.m.  
Monday, February 20.  
Badminton Club meet.

Tuesday, February 21.  
Fellowship Meeting, 8 p.m.  
Wednesday, February 22.  
A Lecture by Professor W. Brown, of the Hongkong University on the subject "A Visit to East Africa," illustrated by Lantern Slides, commencing 8.30 p.m.

Thursday, February 23.  
An Entertainment of Choral and Instrumental music, given by Miss Flint and her Ladies' Choir, commencing 8.30 p.m.

Saturday, February 24.  
A "Ramble," leaving the Home at 2 p.m.

### UNION CHURCH (Kennedy Road).

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at Union Church, Hongkong.

Sunday, February 19, Hospital Sunday.  
Sunday School, Kennedy Road, 9.30 a.m.

Sunday School, Tai Koo, 2.45 p.m.  
Morning Service 10.30 a.m. (Broadcast).

Preacher: Dr. A. Sydenham.  
Evening Service 6 p.m. Preacher: The Rev. Frank Short.

The Communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the evening service.

Offeratories on behalf of the Alice Memorial and affiliated Hospitals.

A Social Hour will be held in the Church Hall after the evening service.

Church Choir Practice. Every Tuesday at 5.30 p.m.

Every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Devotional Meeting of the Soldiers' and Airmen's Christian Association. Service men heartily welcomed.

### FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Subject, "Mind."

The Sunday School is held on Sunday Morning at 10 o'clock. Wednesday Evening Meeting at 6 p.m. Reading Room at above address open Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Monday and Thursday, 5.30 to 7 p.m. The Public is cordially invited to attend the service and visit the Reading Room. Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., U.S.A.

## FELT HATS

What they are made of and how to choose them

— BY —  
**LINCOLN BENNETT.**

WITHOUT entering into too detailed and technical an explanation of how Felt Hats are made, it is our endeavour to furnish a sufficiently complete description, both of the method of manufacture and of the materials used, to enable any man to decide what kind of felt hat will best suit his requirements before he buys it.

Felt hats (both Bowlers and Soft Felt), are made either of Wool Felt or Fur Felt.

A Wool Felt is at once detected by its "lack of lustre" appearance and by its coarse "blankety" feel. Only when it is finished with a veneer of fur can a Wool Felt Hat hope to escape detection, and even then a close inspection will reveal its shoddiness.

Our present concern is with Fur Felt Hats—hats the felt of which is made entirely of fur.

### How Felt is Made.

Many people imagine that the fur skin is used, that the felt for hats is made in strips, or that the fur hairs are stuck together by some adhesive agent such as glue. None of these ideas is correct.

The fur is cut from the skin, is cleansed of all grease, pieces of skin and foreign matter, and all thick coarse hairs are removed. The fur is then in a very finely separated form.

The required weight—enough for one hat—of this pure fur is then thrown or sprayed out of the funnel mouth of a machine over and around a large finely perforated copper cone to which the fur is attracted by the suction induced by an electric fan working below the cone.

This perforated cone, which is continuously revolving, is wet and the hairs of the fur adhere to it, evenly covering its entire surface. Water from a superheated chamber is sprayed finely on to the cone, with the result that the individual hairs of fur come together, interlock and hold on to each other. In other words, the fur has begun to "felt," and the covering on the cone has changed its nature. From a covering of loose fur it has become a coating of thin felt of sufficient strength to allow of its being stripped off the cone, on which it was formed, in one piece.

### Felting.

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By subjection in various ways to the combined conditions of heat, moisture and pressure with movement, the felt body is thickened, contracted and toughened; in other words the "felting" is continued until the individual hairs have so come together and interlocked, that it is impossible for them to separate. Each hair is now more closely locked and intertwined with its fellows than are the threads of any woven material, and the felt body, shrink to the required size, thickness and strength, is ready to be stiffened and blocked into shape.

### The Quality of the Fur.

The foregoing is broadly the method by which all Fur Felt Hats are made, and it will consequently be readily understood that the quality of a felt hat, by which we mean the standard of appearance and durability, will depend almost entirely upon the kind of fur used.

Generally speaking, the longer the individual hairs of the fur the stronger and tougher will be the felt, and the finer the hairs, the closer its texture.

If the hairs are short and coarse they will be unable to hold together with the same tenacity as longer hairs; the felt will stretch and the hat quickly go out of shape, possibly also tear or break. If, on the other hand, the hairs are both long and fine, the close tough felt they make will produce a hat that will not stretch and will therefore retain its shape.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRTY-SIXTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders in the Company will be held in the Company's Board Room, 3rd floor, Exchange Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 24th February, 1933, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1932, electing Directors and Auditors, and for the transaction of any other Ordinary business of the Company.

NOTICE is also hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from MONDAY, 13th February, 1933, until SATURDAY, 25th February, 1933, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfers of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board,

**D. L. KING,**

Secretary.

Hongkong, 8th February, 1933.

### RACE HOLIDAYS

The Exchange Banks will open at 9.30 a.m. and will close at 12 noon for the transaction of public business on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 20th, 21st, & 22nd. February, 1933. (Race Meeting).

Hongkong 17th February, 1933.

### THE DAIRY FARM, ICE & COLD STORAGE CO., LTD.

#### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Thirty-Seventh Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in the Company will be held at the Company's Town Office, 2 Lower Albert Road, on Wednesday 1st March, 1933, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 18th February, to 1st March, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
**J. D. THOMSON**  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 7th February, 1933.

### SHARE PRICES

#### TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

#### Banks.

Hongkong Bank, \$1.770 n.  
H'kong Bank, £120 n.  
Chartered Bank, £13 1/2 n.  
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £24 1/2 n.  
Mercantile Bank C. £30 1/2 n.  
East Asia, \$108 n.  
Am. O. Finance Corp., \$28 n.  
China O. Fin. Ord., Tls. 6 n.  
China A. Fin. Prof. Tls. 4.60 n.

#### Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$1.375 n.  
Union Ins., \$572 1/2 n.  
China Underwriters, \$2.35 sa.  
China Fire \$620 n.  
H.K. Fire Ins., \$1350 n.  
International Assoc., Tls. 4.15 n.

#### Shipping.

Douglas, \$30 b.  
H.K. Steamboats, \$22 b.  
H.K. Chinas, (Pref.) \$45 n.  
H.K. Chinas (Duf.), \$32 n.  
Shell (Bearer), 46/6 n.  
Union Waterboats, \$20 1/2 n.

#### Mining.

Benguet, \$17 1/2 n.  
Kailans, 22/9 n.  
Langkats (Single), Tls. 4 n.  
Shai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n.  
Shai Loans, Tls. 2.30 n.  
Venz. Goldfields, \$4.20 n.  
Benguet Exp., 23 cts. n.

#### Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$144 n.  
H.K. Docks, \$20 n.  
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.  
S. China Motor B., \$8 n.  
Providents (old), \$4.40 n.  
Providents (new), \$1.90 n.  
Hongkows, Tls. 220 n.  
New Engineering, Tls. 6.20 n.  
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 90 n.

#### Land, Hotels, etc.

Hotels (old), \$7.60 a.  
Hotels (new), \$7.30 n.  
H.K. Lands, \$75 1/2 n.  
Shai Lands, Tls. 25 1/2 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n.  
Humphreys, \$14.10 a.  
Asia Realities "A", \$140 n.  
China Realities, \$95 b.  
China Realities, Tls. 11.40 n.  
China Debentures Tls. 99 1/2 n.  
Cotton Mills.  
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 13.40 b.  
Shai Cottons, Tls. 71 n.  
Zongz Sins, Tls. 11.75 n.  
Wing On Textiles (S.) 115 n.

## POST OFFICE NOTICE

The Money Order Department will close at 1 p.m. on Monday 20th, Tuesday 21st, and Wednesday 22nd February, 1933.

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Perla (Djask) .....	0.60	0.95	0.30	0.50
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Iraq (Bagdad) .....	0.65	1.05	0.35	0.55
Palestine (Beirut) .....	0.75	1.20	0.40	0.40
Greece (Athens) .....	0.85	1.40	0.45	0.45
Italy (Naples) .....				
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Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

### RADIO TELEGRAM ADDRESSES.

Telegrams sent via Radio for Addressees in China may be addressed to Telephone Numbers. Full details may be obtained on application at the Radio Counter.


### INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Shanghai and Swatow .....	Suiyang .....	February 18.
Japan .....	Itoyo Maru .....	February 18.
Shanghai and Amoy .....	Taiyuan .....	February 19.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 20th January) .....	Nordmark .....	February 19.
Europe via Negapatnam (Papers only) London, 18th January .....	Friesland .....	February 19.
U.S.A. Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 27th January) .....	Pres. Coolidge .....	February 20.
Amoy .....	Sirdhana .....	February 20.
Manila .....	Emp. of Asia .....	February 21.
Manila .....	General Sherman .....	February 21.
Calcutta and Straits .....	Taina .....	February 21.
Japan and Shanghai .....	Tatsuta Maru .....	February 21.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 20th January .....	Comorin .....	February 21.
and Parcels, 18th January .....	Rajputana .....	February 21.
Japan and Shanghai .....	Kitano Maru .....	February 24.
U. S. A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 4th February) .....	Pres. Madison .....	February 24.
Straits .....	Bangalore .....	February 26.
Straits .....	Philippines .....	February 26.

### OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Manila .....	Gleniffer .....	Sat., Feb. 18, 2.30 p.m.
Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service" .....	Li Feng Lee .....	Sat., Feb. 18, 11 a.m.
	K. P. O.	G. P. O.
Reg., .....	Feb. 18, 3 p.m.	Reg., .....
Letters, .....	Feb. 18, 3 p.m.	Letters, .....
Saloon .....	Feb. 18, 5 p.m.	Saloon .....
	Sunday.	
Bangkok via Swatow .....	Kiangsu .....	Sun., Feb. 19, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa .....	Hozan Maru .....	Sun., Feb. 19, 9 a.m.
	Monday.	
Straits .....	Paris Maru .....	Mon., Feb. 20, 10.30 a.m.
Hohow and Bangkok .....	Kwelyang .....	Mon., Feb. 20, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow .....	Hydrangea .....	Mon., Feb. 20, 3 p.m.
	Tuesday.	
*Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya .....	Tjandane .....	Tues., Feb. 21, 9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow .....	Halching .....	Tues., Feb. 21, 1 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and San Francisco (San Francisco, 16th March) .....	General Sherman .....	Tues., Feb. 21, 2.30 p.m.
Manila .....	Pres. Coolidge .....	Tues., Feb. 21, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow .....	Sandviken .....	Tues., Feb. 21, 5 p.m.
	Wednesday.	
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Canada, C. and S. America and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia .....	Tatsuta Maru .....	Wed., Feb. 22, 2.30 p.m.
Sandakan .....	Mausang .....	Wed., Feb. 22, 2.30 p.m.</





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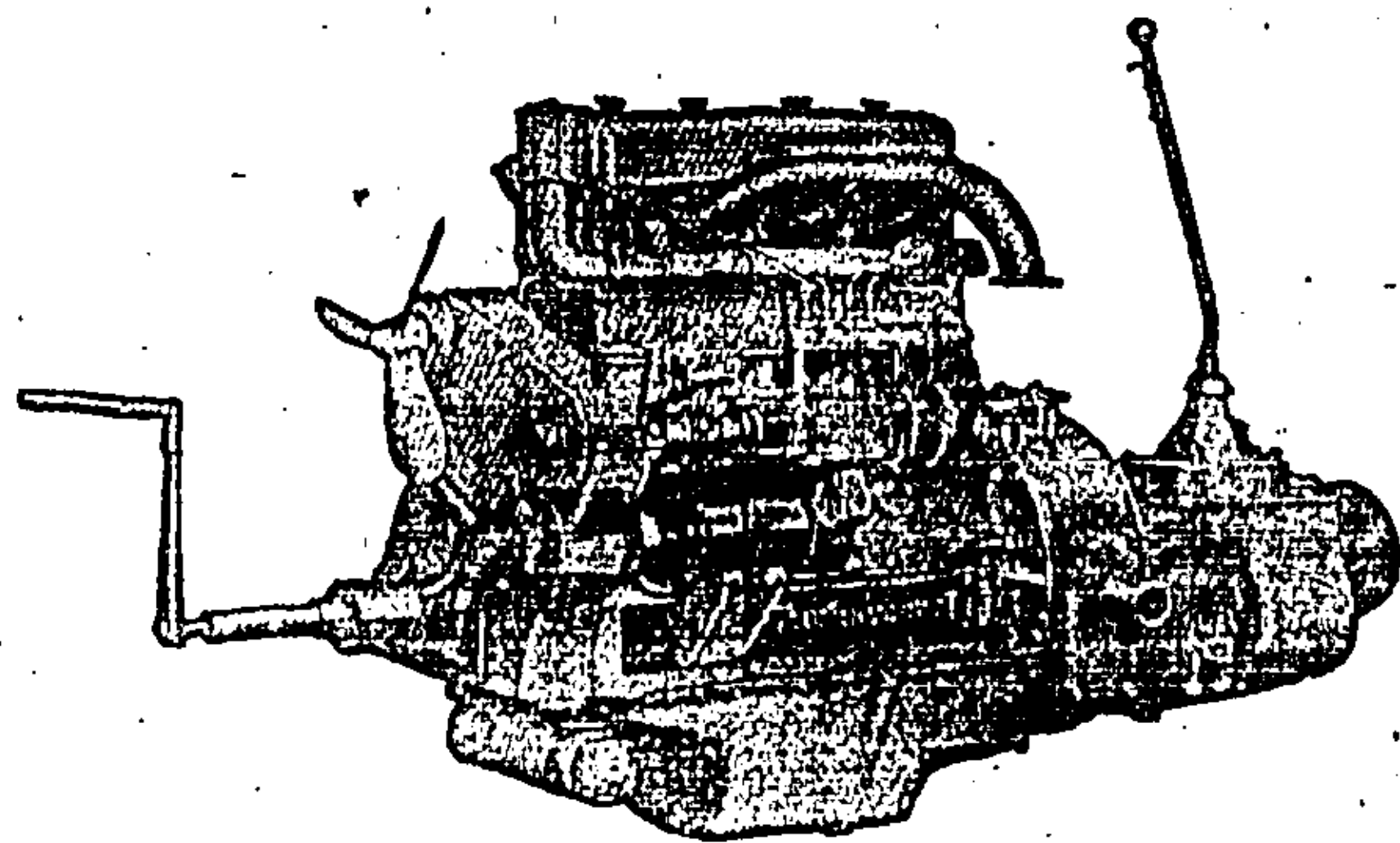
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# LONDON CHURCH COMING DOWN

## CINEMA MAY TAKE ITS PLACE

A gaunt, lonely building in the Charing Cross-road, W.C., has the notice on its door: "This church is officially closed." It is the church of St. Mary the Virgin. The notice will remain until the housebreakers arrive. And then the last act in a long tragedy of struggle and endeavour will be over. The church has been declared redundant. As such it was marked out for destruction some time ago by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners. Under the general scheme which was approved by the Bishop of London, the money derived from the sale of the sites of redundant churches is to be devoted to the provision of new churches in thickly populated suburban areas. Evensong was celebrated in the church for the last time on the eve of the Epiphany, when choir and clergy walked round the building in procession before the blessing was pronounced by the Bishop of Kensington.

### Fight For Existence

The Vicar and the congregation fought the demolition scheme to the last. When first the church was declared to be redundant a series of objections earned it a year's reprieve. Final condemnation was fought with a series of petitions, processions, and agitation. The enlistment of public sympathy at one time almost saved the church. If St. Mary's had not the savour of antiquity, it is pleasant in its desolate surroundings. It was built in 1850, replacing another which had been successively a Greek church in the Seventeenth Century and a French Protestant church. The congregation had dwindled to a handful—fewer than half-dozen at times. It is these alone who will lose their regular place of worship. But it will be missed by the hundreds to whom St. Mary's was a place of occasional meditation and rest. They will not gladly see erected on the site a cinema, which is one of the fates proposed for the site.

## CÆSAR'S CAMP SAVED

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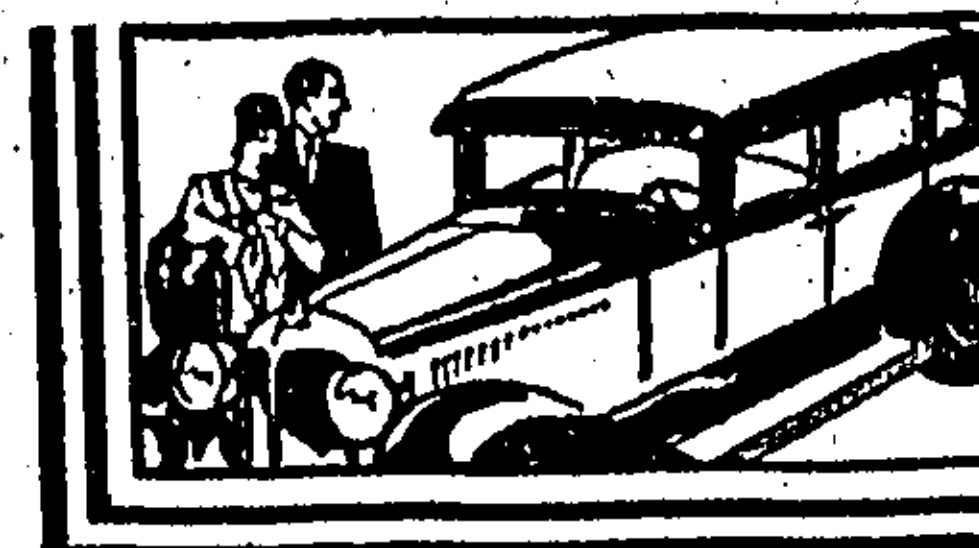
Cæsar's Camp, the treasure of antiquity which forms a "natural annexe" to Wimbledon Common, is to be scheduled by the Commissioners of Works under the Ancient Monuments Act, and will thus be saved to the nation for all time. A draft Order is under preparation, and persons affected by it

will be entitled to compensation. The owner of the land is Admiral R. A. P. Plunkett-Erne-Drax.

There has been considerable opposition to the omission of the site from the town planning scheme of the Wimbledon Corporation. The area was set out for development for building purposes when it

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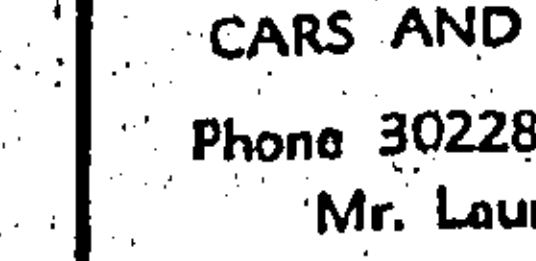
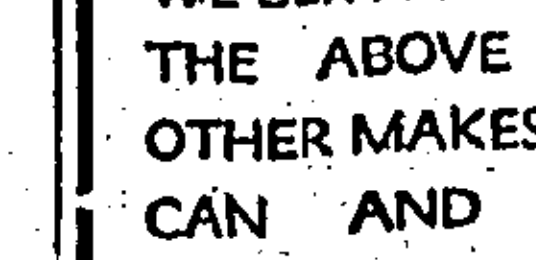
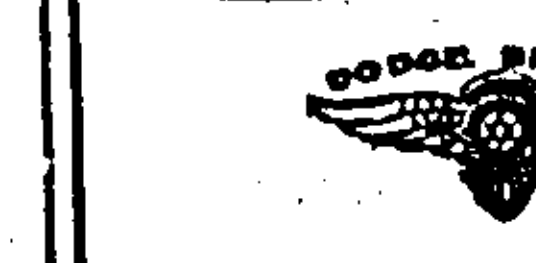
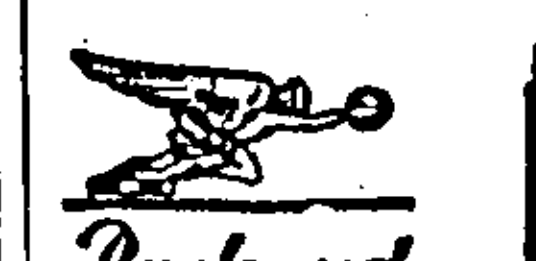
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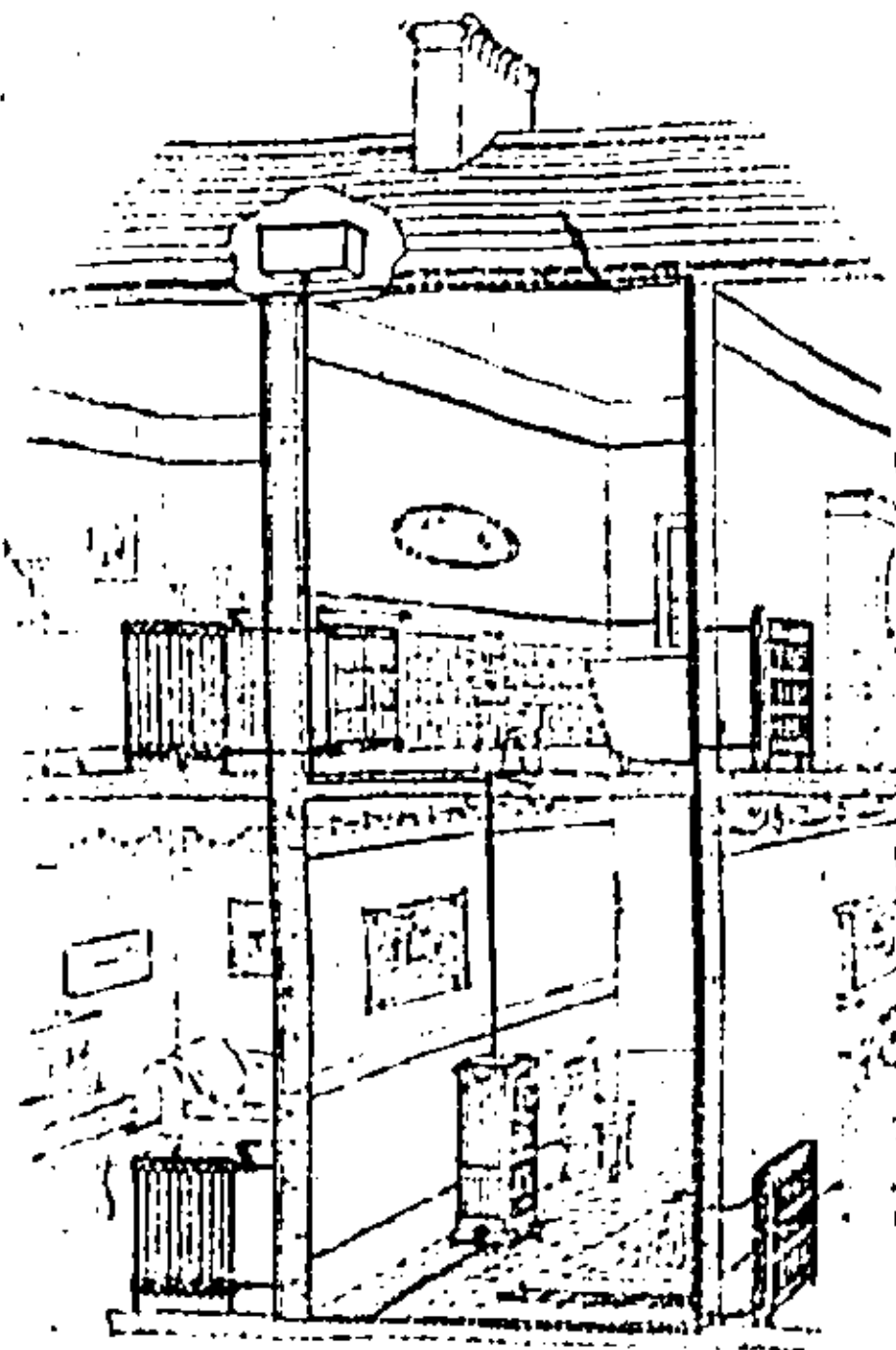
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The problem of what happens to the things you buy, once you begin to use them, is interesting science now for the first time. In a unique laboratory perched on the roof of a famous West End store these are some of the activities of scientists at the moment: Bursting bits of shirt.

Shrinking socks in the wash. Making gray stains glow phosphorescent blue.

Seeing what "sunlight" can do to "colour-fast" fabrics on a foggy afternoon.

"However good a store may be," the head of the laboratory told a Press representative "it gets complaints occasionally about the one article in 10,000 that did not live up to its name. Formerly the salesman's only reply to the indignant purchaser would be, 'I don't understand how it happened.' Now we and one or two other stores that are starting laboratories can ask for the article back instead, and scientifically discover whether the article really had a flaw. Look at this, for instance."

He produced a pair of socks marked "Unshrinkable." One would fit a boy of ten, the other would be too small for a newly-born child. "I shrank that small one myself, just by washing it in soap and hot water. Obviously, the socks had no right to be sold as unshrinkable at all."

## Soaking the Waterproof

Strange instruments lay around the laboratory. One, he explained, was for dropping 20 drops a minute on the same spot on a piece of waterproof cloth. "If the third drop soaks through, the cloth would be useless. But if it stayed dry till the fourth or fifth drop, it would be satisfactory. Actually, one famous brand will stand 70."

Nearby stood the rack on which hundreds of pieces of cloth are torn to ribbons, while a dial marks the pressure at which they split. "We have found," the scientist explained, "that when people complain that a cloth is apt to tear easily, a 40lb. pull on the machine is generally sufficient for the job. It is criminal to sell cloth unless it splits on this machine at a much higher figure."

"We burst bits of shirts and so on, too." He clamped a patch of cloth over an orifice, then pumped thick glycerine up through the orifice. The cloth swelled up like a balloon, and suddenly burst, indicating the fatal pressure on a gauge. "Anything that bursts at under 40lb. per square inch is useless."

The microscope show what different cloths are really made of, and sometimes, by adding the appropriate acid, the investigators

SEARCH FOR LOST  
CIVILISATIONINHABITANTS OF IRAQ  
6,000 YEARS AGO

An expedition under the auspices of the British Museum has left London in an effort to trace a lost civilisation which is believed to have existed for some hundreds of years in Northern Iraq over 6,000 years ago.

The expedition will be under the direction of Mr. M. E. Mallowan, who assisted Dr. Campbell Thompson in last year's excavations at Nineveh. Mr. Mallowan's wife, Miss Agatha Christie, the novelist, is accompanying the expedition.

Sir Edgar Bonham-Carter, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the British School of Archaeology in Iraq, stated to a Press representative that the expedition is to excavate a prehistoric site at Arpachiyah, near Nineveh, where it is hoped to find evidence of a lost civilisation which existed before the rise of Ur.

Dr. Campbell Thompson's work last year revealed relics of a prehistoric people who were skilled in the making of decorative pottery. Similar pottery had been found among the mounds near Arpachiyah.

## UPSIDE-DOWN, FLYING

ITALIAN AVIATOR BEATS  
RECORD

Rome, Jan. 16. Sunday morning golfers on the Rome links were today astonished to see an Italian aviator persistently circling around overhead flying upside down. Passants enjoying their Sunday festivities in the taverns adjacent to the golf course also noticed the phenomenon—some of them, it is said, with no little perturbation. They were relieved to learn later in the day, however, that what they saw was in accordance with facts.

The airman was the Italian acrobatic aviator, Captain Raffaele Colacicchi, attempting and easily beating the world upside-down flying record, hitherto held by a Frenchman. Captain Colacicchi flew up-side-down for 42½ minutes—almost double the previous French record.

burn all the wool, or all the cotton away, to see what stays behind.

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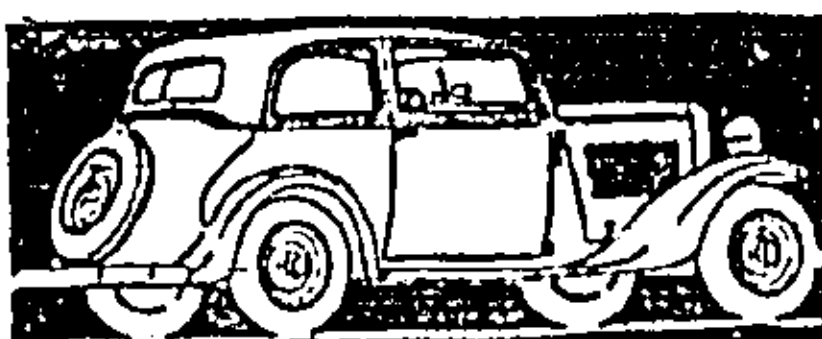
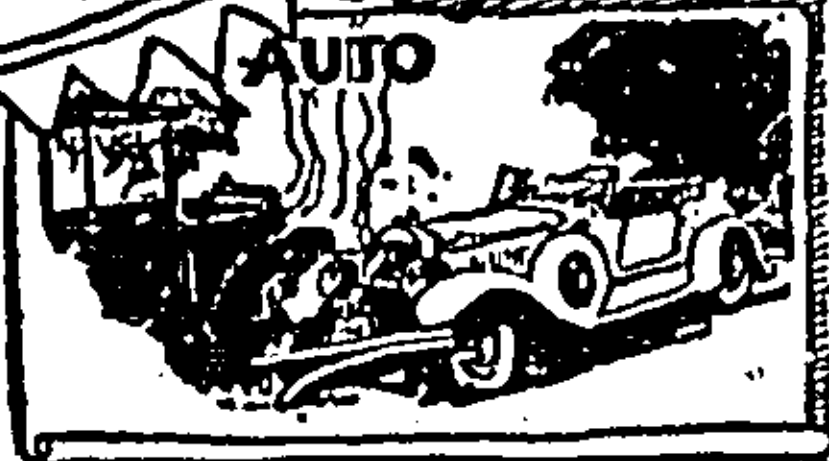
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### YESTERDAY'S MARKET DULL

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was dull yesterday. Business done: 600,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports: "The market was dull but advanced due to the repeal of the 18th Amendment being passed by Senate, good reports in trade centres, Michigan situation quiet, firmer commodities and the reassurance that no railroad would be thrown into receivership on March 1st, all of which offset the unfavorable Federal Reserve statement showing an increase of \$149,000,000 in money circulation, largely due to the Michigan situation and also the loss of 24,000,000 monetary gold."

Dow-Jones Averages:	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.
30 Industrials	55.49	56.37
20 Rails	26.33	27.05
20 Utilities	23.50	23.84
40 Bonds	79.12	78.61
American Can.	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.
American Smelting	12%	12%
American Tel. & Tel.	100%	101%
American Tobacco	53%	54%
Anaconda Copper	8%	8%
Bethlehem Steel	38%	42%
Canadian Pacific	13%	13%
Railway	9%	9%
Chase National Bank	80%	81%
Chrysler	11%	11%
Consolidated Gas of New York	48%	48%
Drugs Inc.	34%	35%
Du Pont de Nemours	35%	36%
Eastman Kodak	52%	54%
Electric Bond & Share	14%	14%
General Electric	13%	13%
General Motors	12%	12%
General Railway Signal	18%	18%
Gillette Safety Razor	15%	15%
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	11%	12%
International Harvester	16%	16%
International Nickel	7%	7%
International Tel. & Tel.	6%	6%
Lippitt & Myers	50%	51%
Loew's Inc.	14%	15%
Montgomery Ward	11%	11%
National City Bank	39%	40%
Pacific Gas & Electric	27%	27%
Packard Motors	2%	2%
Pennsylvania Railroad	16%	17%
Radio Corporation	4%	4%
Reynolds Tobacco	28%	28%
Sears Roebuck	10%	10%
Shell Union	4%	4%
Socny Vacuum Company	6%	6%
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	24%	24%
Texas Corporation	12%	12%
Union Carbide & Carbon	22%	23%
United Aircraft & Trans.	21%	22%
U.S. Rubber	4%	5%
U.S. Steel	26%	27%
Westinghouse E. & M.	25%	26%
Woolworth	30%	29%

### EXCHANGE RATES

	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.
Paris	87.15/32	87.74
Geneva	17.70 1/2	17.73 1/2
Berlin	14.42 1/2	14.13/32
Helsingfors	227	227
Oslo	19.55	19.55
Athens	600	600
Milan	67.3/16	67.5/16
Buenos Aires	41 1/2	41 1/2
Shanghai	17.16/16	1/8
New York	3.43 1/2	3.44 1/2
Amsterdam	8.55	8.54
Vienna	30	30
Prague	115 1/2	115 1/2
Madrid	41.11/16	41 1/2
Bucharest	680	680
Hongkong	173.7/32	173 1/2
Brussels	24.56 1/2	24.52 1/2
Stockholm	18.85	18.90
Copenhagen	22.50	22.7/16
Lisbon	110	110
Rio	5%	5%
Bombay	176.5/32	176.5/32
Yokohama	17 1/2	17 1/2
Montevideo	33	33
Montreal	4.12 1/2	4.12 1/2
War Loan	99 1/2	99 1/2
Belgrade	255	255
Silver (spot)	16.11/16	16.13/16
Silver (forward)	16 1/2	16 1/2

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## RADIO BROADCAST

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Maria Jeritta (Soprano). 1273.  
Viola Solo—Sorente (Vieuxtemps).  
Renee Chemet. 1242.  
Chorus—Lohengrin—The Swan  
Chorus (Wagner).  
Chorus—Lohengrin—Procession to  
the Cathedral (Wagner).  
Chorus and Symphony Orchestra  
conducted by Albert Coates. 9017.  
Organ Solo—Bourree (Handel).  
Organ Solo—Scherzo (Grieg).  
G. Cunningham. C1650.  
Chorus—Frischschütz-Jägerchor  
(Huntsmen's Chorus) (Weber).  
Chorus—Carmen—Chorus of Cigars  
ette Girls (Bizet).  
Metropolitan Opera Chorus. 4173.  
Orchestra—Coronation March  
(Meyerbeer).  
Orchestra—War March of the Priests  
(Mendelssohn).  
Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra  
of New York. 7104.  
Song—Samson et Dalila—Arretez, C.  
Mes Freres (Saint-Saens).  
Song—Samson et Dalila—Is Your God  
Not on High? (Saint-Saens).  
Giovanni Martinelli (Tenor). 8159.  
9-30 p.m. From the Studio.  
A Pianoforte recital by Miss  
Amelia Li.  
Sonata in B Minor (Chopin).  
1st Movement—Allegro maestoso.  
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3rd Movement—Largo.  
4th Movement—Presto non tanto.  
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Fox Trot—Lonesome Me.  
Fox Trot—My Love.  
Rosa Colombo and His Orch. 24077.  
Waltz—Someday We'll Meet Again.  
Fox Trot—'Twas Only a Summer  
Night's Dream.  
Isma Jones and His Orch. 24129.  
Waltz—Mar D. Dalila.  
Fox Trot—Someone to Care For.  
George Olsen and His Music. 24069.  
Waltz—Songs for Sale.  
Fox Trot—It Was so Beautiful.  
George Olsen and His Music. 24070.  
Waltz—When the Sun Goes Down on a  
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	Opening	Closing
March	5.98-5.97	6.00-6.00
May	6.12-6.12	6.12-6.14
July	6.25-6.25	6.25-6.25
October	6.44-6.46	6.45-6.45
December	6.59-6.58	6.55-6.57
January	6.64-6.64	6.63-6.63
Spot	6.15	6.15

	Chicago	Winnipeg
May	47 1/2	48 1/2
July	48 1/2	49 1/2
September	49 1/2	50 1/2
October	50 1/2	50 1/2



Pretty young school teachers  
sometimes have a hard time  
keeping their dates straight.

## LONDON STOCK PRICES

### GILT-EDGED ISSUES FIRM

The following quotations on the  
London Stock Exchange have been  
received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson  
and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter.  
Gilt-edged issues were very firm yester-  
day. Otherwise the market was  
very quiet and irregular.  
Feb. 16. Feb. 17.

Chinese Bonds	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.
4 1/2% Bonds 1898	£ 94	£ 95 1/2
4 1/2% Loan 1908	£ 60	£ 67
5% Loan 1912	£ 37	£ 38
5% Reorg. Loan	£ 70	£ 70
1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 69	£ 69
5% Bonds 1925-27	£ 98	£ 97
5% Shai-Nanking	£ 35-40	£ 35-40
5% Tient-Pukow	£ 15-25	£ 15-25
5% Tient-Pukow	£ 15-25	£ 15-25
5% Tient-Pukow	£ 15-25	£ 15-25
5% Shai-Hangchow	£ 75-80	£ 75-80
5% Hukang Rly.	£ 5-10	£ 5-10
5% Hukang Rly.	£ 18-24	£ 18-24
1911	£ 12-16	£ 12-16
5% Lung Tsing U.	£ 12-16	£ 12-16
Hai Rly. 1913	£ 12-16	£ 12-16

Foreign Bonds	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.
German 7% In-	88/6	90/3
ternational Loan		
1924		
Japan 5% Sterling	£ 54	£ 55 1/2
Loan 1907		
Japan 5% Sterling	£ 62	£ 62
Loan 1924		

Associated Elec.	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.
Industries	17/9	17/9
Brit. Amer. Tob.	96/10 1/2	95/7 1/2
Chinese Eng. & Min.	22/6	22/6
J. & P. Coats	49/6	49/6
Courtaulds	28/0	29/0
Distillers	53/6	54/4
Dunlop Rubber	21/7 1/2	21/7 1/2
Eveready	30/-	30/-
General Electric	42/-	42/-
(England)		
Guinness	80/-	80/3
Imp. Chem. In-	25/3	25/1 1/2
dustries		
Imp. Tobacco	93/-	92/6
Pinchin Johnson	28/6	28/6
Turner & Newall	23/0	26/-
Unilever	29/-	28/9

Miscellaneous	Feb. 16.	Feb. 17.
Anglo-Dutch	10/3	10/3
Burma Corp.	10/1 1/2	10/1 1/2
Canadian Pacific		
Rly.	\$14	\$13-7/8
pekin Syndicate	1/9	1/6
Shal. Elec. Constr.	50/-	50/-
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St. David's Day, Wednesday, 1st  
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the Cenotaph at 11 a.m. by the  
President, supported by the Vice-  
President, and the loyal support  
of all members and Welsh friends  
would be appreciated.

In the evening at 7.45 p.m. a  
dinner will be held at Lane,  
Crawford's Restaurant, when Welsh  
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Members and residents of Welsh  
nationality are invited to join in  
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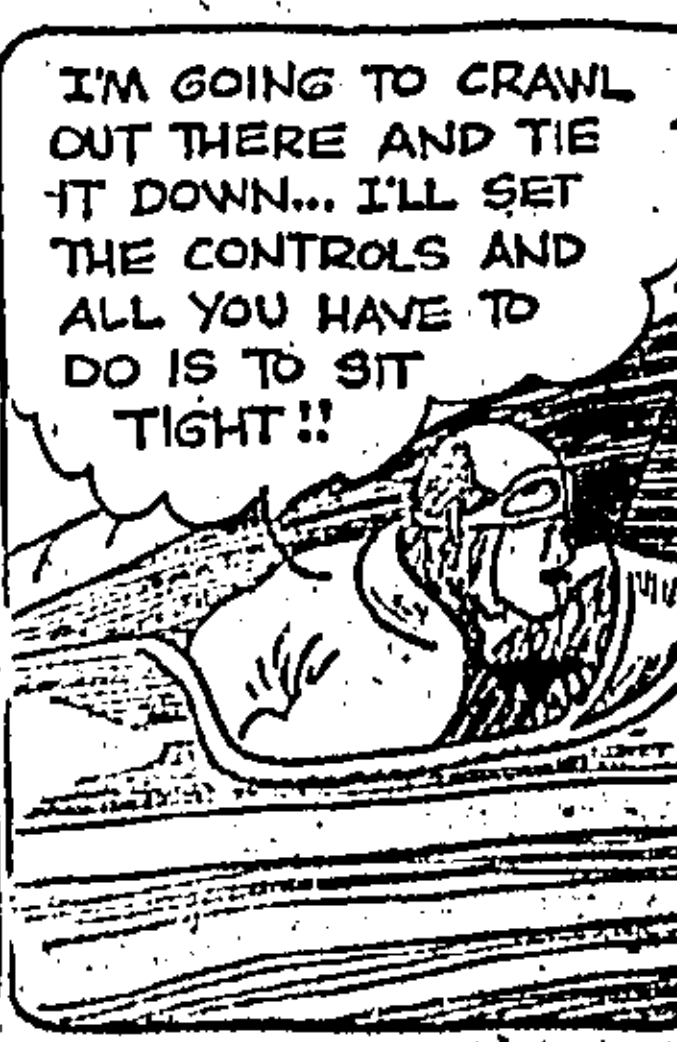
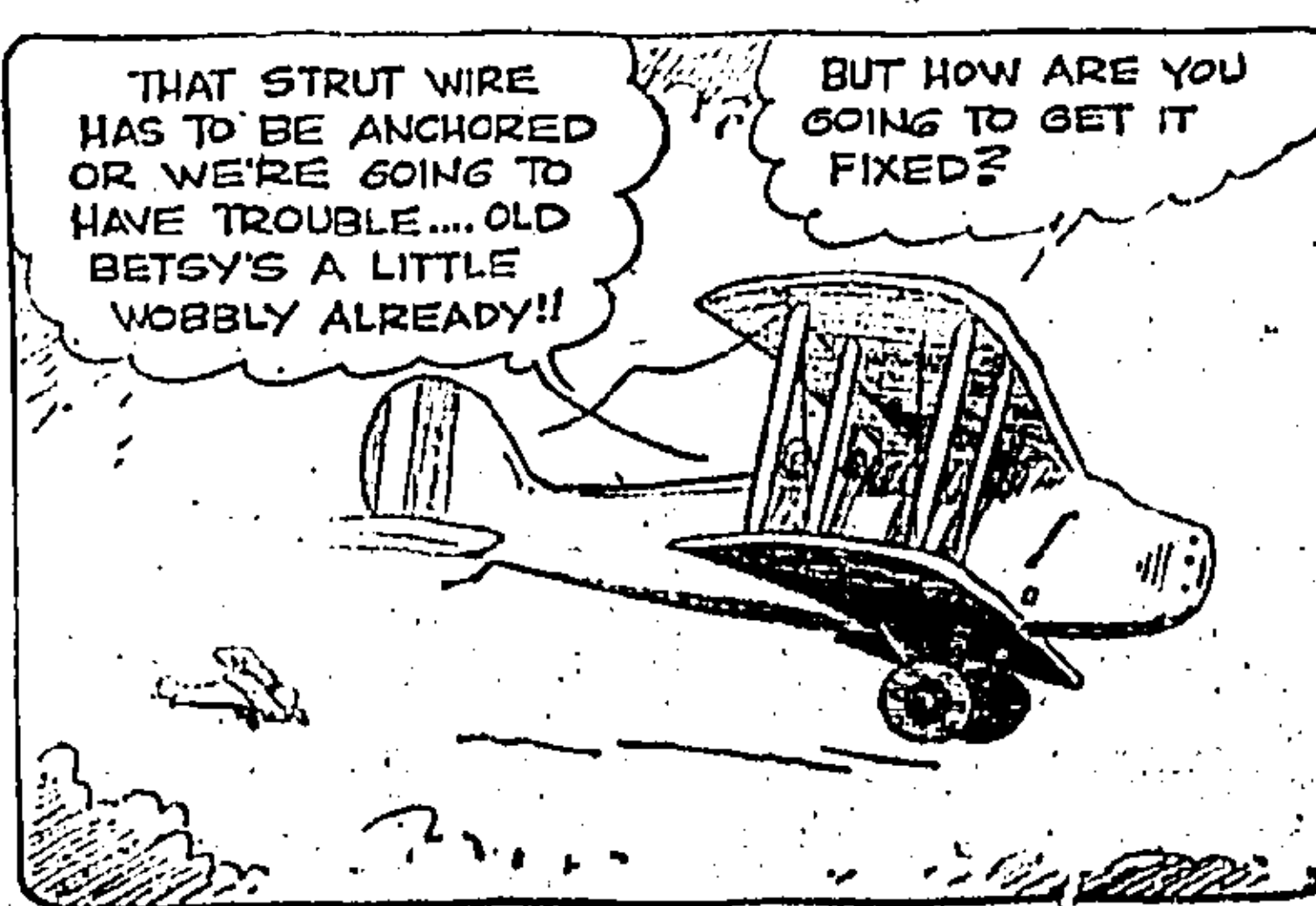
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from the South Bend and Chicago  
territories, gathered here to-day  
for the purpose of viewing the  
new 1933 Studebaker  
and Rockne models, were provid-  
ed with varied entertainment to  
add zest to the seriousness of the  
day's work.

At an informal luncheon held at  
noon, business discussions were  
pleasantly interspersed with  
colorful motion pictures and the  
presence of a bevy of beautiful  
girls who were used most effective-  
ly to dramatize the official pre-  
sentation of the new models to  
the assembled guests. Music was  
also provided.

The chief speakers were Albert  
Russell Brakine, president, The  
Studebaker Corporation, Paul G.  
Hoffman, president of the Stude-  
baker Sales Corporation of Amer-  
ica, and George M. Graham, vice  
president of Rockne Motors Cor-  
poration. Harold S. Vance,  
president of Rockne Motors, and  
D. G. Ross, chief engineer The  
Studebaker Corporation, also  
spoke briefly, detailing the various  
engineering advancements which  
feature the new Studebaker and  
Rockne cars.

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## DEATH.

WARD.—At Kennedy Town Hospital  
at 5.30 p.m. on February 17,  
Vernon Byron Ward, aged 13  
months, dearly beloved son of  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward. Funeral  
will pass the Monument at 3.15  
p.m. to-day.

## The Hongkong Telegraph.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1933.

## THE CONTROL OF AVIATION

Opinion on the question of  
international control of aviation  
is still divided. The British  
contention, that such control is  
essential if the menace of aerial  
attacks on cities is to be removed,  
does not meet with the approval  
of America, which holds that,  
by reason of her geographical  
position, the plan is neither  
feasible nor desirable. In this  
connection, it is to be noted that  
the Hoover plan of disarmament  
called for the abolition of all  
bombing aircraft, but the point  
that seems to be lost sight of is  
that civil machines are quite  
easily convertible into bombing  
planes. The original British pro-  
posals were based on acceptance  
of any practical scheme to pre-  
serve civilians from aerial bom-  
bardment, for which purpose it  
was proposed that all bombing  
should be within limits defined by  
an international convention. It  
was further suggested that there  
should be limitation of the un-  
laden weight of all military and  
naval aircraft, as well as of the  
numbers of such machines. France  
favours the total abolition  
of air bombardment, if accom-  
panied by internationalisation  
of civil aircraft, and also  
urges an organically interna-  
tional air force, to be at the disposal  
of a State which is the victim  
of aggression. Britain now  
comes definitely forward in sup-  
port of the French idea of in-  
ternational control, and the  
whole subject is to be studied  
by a specially-appointed com-  
mittee. The ideal, of course, is  
the elimination of warfare al-  
together, and the establishing of  
permanent peace. But this is  
still far from realisation. In  
the meantime, steps must be  
taken to stop mankind from be-  
coming the victim of its own  
inventiveness. Nations have  
built up fleets of bombing  
machines, and while they exist,  
or even while commercial ma-  
chines which can be quickly  
transformed exist, the outbreak  
of war might easily provoke  
their employment. What is need-  
ed is the utter and unequivocal  
ostracising of aerial warfare and  
of those who resort to it. By  
slow degrees the nations are  
coming to realise the effective-  
ness of the moral weapon, and  
there is definite promise of  
something being done to banish

some of the worst features of  
warfare. But until this aerial  
problem is finally settled, the  
world will continue to be expos-  
ed to horrors the full nature of  
which it is difficult to visualise.

## Federal India

Federation between British  
India and the Indian Native  
States has definitely emerged as  
a practical project. The criti-  
cism has frequently been made  
that federation is an impossibil-  
ity, mainly because the federat-  
ing units consist of elements so  
contrary to each other as to be  
unblendable. A British Govern-  
ment whose constituents are  
primarily Conservative has pro-  
ved this to be a fallacy, even  
though the Conservatives were  
the first to hesitate about ac-  
cepting federation when it was  
proposed at the first Round  
Table Conference. The federa-  
tion idea derived its impetus  
from the decision of the Indian  
princes to affiliate their domains  
with British India under a con-  
stitution that would have all-  
India for its sphere. Prior to  
the first Round Table Confer-  
ence, federation was viewed as  
an ideal to be attained; but the  
decision of the princes took the  
issue from the realm of idealism  
and brought it within the ambit  
of practical politics. It was only  
in the reflective environment  
of India that the princes began  
to think twice about what they  
had proposed and began to be  
doubtful if they would obtain the  
best of the bargain when their  
autocratic power came into con-  
flict with the democratic ideas  
which the British have fostered  
in British India during 150 years  
of association with Indians. The  
last conference showed that al-  
though there still is hesitancy  
on the part of many princes to  
enter federation, it may safely  
be said that federation will  
ultimately be India's status.  
When the final history of India's  
constitutional question is writ-  
ten, it will be recorded that the  
victory has gone to the realists.  
Chief among the realists is Sir  
Samuel Hoare, the Secretary of  
State for India. He has made it  
clear that the new Government  
of India can work only if the  
triple association of Great  
Britain, British India and the  
Indian Native States is main-  
tained. By defining the scope  
and purpose of the various safe-  
guards he has brought the entire  
constitutional issue into precise  
terms. He has transformed  
volumes of generalities into the  
skeleton of a parliamentary bill.  
In doing it he has satisfied  
Indians as to the sincerity of the  
British people toward Indian  
aspirations.

## Felt From Faces

Russia has a new industry.  
It is making felt boots from hair.  
There is nothing extraordinary  
in this. Hair has been long  
used in the manufacture of felt.  
But Russia proposes to get the  
raw material largely from the  
faces of the boot wearers.  
Herein lies both thrift and  
economy. It has been learned  
that the whiskerfelt is of ex-  
cellent quality, and the way is  
thus opened for development of  
a whisker crop on a scale never  
before attempted. Russian  
whiskers are a tradition. They  
are known all over the world.  
But the government edict  
officially impounding every har-  
vested whisker throughout the  
land ultimately must result in  
the recognition of Russia as  
the leading whisker-producing  
nation of the world. The de-  
mands of the growing felt in-  
dustry—or should one say the  
felt-growing industry?—must be  
met and if bumper crops are not  
forthcoming prizes may be of-  
fered for the best acreage in  
each community. In gathering  
the whisker crop the Govern-  
ment makes no distinction as to  
individual methods of produc-  
tion. A whisker is a whisker  
whether it sprouted in a set of  
burnsides or flourished in the  
jungle of a galvany develop-  
ment. The patriarch brand un-  
doubtedly yields the greatest  
number of bushels an acre, but  
it is felt that any nondescript  
crop has its value in adding to  
the output of the felt industry.  
Incidentally the barber shops,  
which are constituted a sort of  
whisker silo by the edict, may  
be spurred to greater achieve-  
ment by promises of copies of  
"The Wind Blew Through His  
Whiskers" for the largest num-  
ber of bales collected within a  
given period.

## GOODBYE TO HONGKONG

FOR A  
FEW HOURS

By E. G. B.

The virtues of the walk I am  
about to describe are four. First-  
ly the longest climb and the least  
interesting part comes at the  
beginning; secondly you will be  
able, at tiffin time, to spread  
yourself upon a bed of heather;  
thirdly the way home is easy to  
find and leads you down a gentle  
descent to the bus terminus, and  
lastly, you will feel as refreshed  
as if you had spent a week-end  
away in the country, since, after  
the first twenty minutes you turn  
your back on Hongkong and all  
things familiar, and catch no fur-  
ther glimpse of it until the even-  
ing.

Take a map, or not, as you choo-  
se (the one in the Hongkong guide  
book will do) and about 10.30 a.m.  
get into any bus that goes to Kow-  
loon Cliv. No. 3 is a good one  
if you are starting from the Star  
Ferry. Either walk for a quarter  
of a mile from the terminus, or  
let a No. 10 bus, which goes to  
the aerodrome, drop you at the  
second and last turning to the  
left. The turning is a wide and  
unmistakable road and leads past  
the Kowloon Dairy Farm and up  
to Customs Pass.

It will take three quarters of an  
hour to achieve the Pass, and you  
will have resisted all temptation  
to turn to the right, and will have  
stuck steadfastly all the time to  
Kowloon Peak which towers above  
you on the left.

At the actual pass there is a  
lovely view in front of you of  
wooded hills and valleys on the  
shores of Hebe Haven, whilst be-  
hind, a white road leads back  
over the hills to Lyemun.

Up on the left soars the range  
of hills of which Kowloon Peak  
is the Eastern terminus, and three  
quarters of the way up runs your  
Alpine path, with precipitous  
slopes of wind-blown grass rising  
above it to the summit, and equally  
perpendicular slopes falling away  
beneath. This path has a rather  
invisible beginning about fifty  
yards down from the head of the  
Pass, but once you are on it no-  
thing can go wrong and an hour's  
walk brings you to your destina-  
tion, Heather Pass.

## Straight and Narrow

The way is as straight and  
narrow as the proverbial path  
allotted to the righteous: a rule  
could be laid along it, one end at  
Customs Pass, the other at Hea-  
ther Pass, but it is far more enli-  
gning than the righteous were ever  
taught to expect. It provides  
wonderful panoramas of hills and  
bays and the open sea, and then  
suddenly rises up on your right. Then  
it follows a murmuring stream,  
dips past Dingley Dell, curls round  
Heather Hill and lands you at  
Heather Pass, hungry and clamour-  
ing for tiffin.

Here, unless you know the land  
well, the map will help you to  
discover Tide Cove, and beyond,  
Needle Hill and Tai-Mo-Shan:  
straight ahead is Buffalo Hill, and  
away behind it and to the right  
Ma-On-Shan and the Hunchbacks.  
It is a most beautiful spot this  
Ma-On-Shan, comparable to any  
of the New Territories. It is di-  
fficult to believe that no deep blue

gentians, wild monkshood, or frag-  
ments of edelweiss are to be found  
up there, the place seeming as  
high and remote as mountains in  
Switzerland, where flowers are  
taken as a matter of course.

It will take about the same time  
to get home as it did to get out,  
and the way lies back along the  
same path for about half a mile,  
and then along a slightly larger  
path that turns off to the right to  
the village of Tiu Tsao Ngam.  
Go through the village and up the  
valley beyond—the smaller valley  
to the left is Dingley Dell—and  
at the first fork of paths take the  
right hand once, which you can  
see running along for miles at the  
foot of Tate's Ridge, and disap-  
pearing as it curves to the left and  
makes for Grasscutters Pass.

Following it, you turn your back  
gradually and sadly on the Hun-  
chbacks, Buffalo Hill, Tide Cove  
and finally Tai-Mo-Shan: arrived  
at Grasscutters Pass, take the  
road reluctantly down into the  
ordinary work-a-day world, with  
a bus and all other abominable  
emblems of sophistication lying in  
wait for you where you meet the  
main road at the bottom.

## DAY OF POWER

By E. L. ALLEN.

A few years ago a certain minor  
War-Lord occupied a district in  
Kwangtung and made it his first  
business to reward his supporters.  
He sent for one and asked what  
he could do for him. There was  
no hesitation about the answer:  
"Make me District Magistrate for  
one day!" It was a fairly moder-  
ate request to make surely. He  
only wanted power for one day,  
but he was confident that in that  
time he could wipe out old scores,  
reward his friends, and amass a  
fair fortune! After that—well,  
he was shrewd enough to know  
that the future was an uncertain  
proposition at the best, and to go  
while the going was good.

One wonders what most of us  
would make of it if we were given  
the equivalent of what this man  
asked for—power for twenty-four  
hours and no one to check us in  
the exercise of it. Some, no doubt,  
would honestly set out to use it  
for the benefit of their fellows;  
but probably many, with the best  
intentions in the world, would  
decide that to do anything in that  
long enough to do anything in that  
time was worth while, and would let  
the opportunity slip through their  
fingers. Some, on the other hand,  
would have the time of their lives;  
but again probably most would  
feel that one couldn't make a great  
deal out of a day, and it would be  
all over before they had found out  
how to enjoy themselves.

In short, we should most likely  
use our day of power very much  
as we use the seventy years that  
are given to us as our life. Some  
would make the best possible use  
of it, others would waste it in  
self-indulgence, but the majority  
of us would never get to the point  
of sitting down to think out what  
was the best we could make of it!

## BULLS AND INNERS

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The Week's Great Thought:—  
Fshaw!

Now that England has won the  
Ashes, Australia has to be con-  
tent with the sackcloth.

"That's the ticket"—as we all  
hope to say next week.

If ZBW is hard up for running  
commentaries, why not try some  
of the Colony's shroffs?

Talking of Canton's new bridge,  
what about another one to span  
the differences with Nanking?

A local solicitor is said to have  
obtained Bernard Shaw's signa-  
ture by a ruse. The unfortunate  
part of the business is that it  
wasn't on a chit.

LIFE:—A.B.C. . . . I.O.U. . . .  
Nec . . . R.I.P.

"Pull for the Shaw, lads," seems  
to be the motto of a lot of these  
people who write to the Editor.

Edward Kelly says a poor lis-  
tenser is a man who insists on  
telling you the number of stations  
he gets on his wireless, when you  
want to tell him the result of  
your operation.

These slit skirts are another  
illustration of the predominance  
of the leg-theory.

Cements have figured promi-  
nently in share deals this week. But  
the market still fails to stick.

As was to be expected, this  
Brussels crisis is sprouting up  
again. We hasten to add, how-  
ever, that Mr. Shaw did not visit  
Belgium on his world tour.

A new Peer, aged 86, has just  
taken his seat in the House of  
Lords. MacWhirter suggests that  
at that age he should take to his  
bed.

The H.K.V.D.C. is to have a  
Cricket Week. We suggest that it  
is definitely bad to encourage  
Volunteers to run.

Appropriately enough, the  
Government is going to take steps  
in the matter of these dancing  
academics.

There is no truth in the  
rumour that Robert Mac-  
Whirter is to deliver a lecture  
at the University on "Humour and  
Its Action on the Epiglottis".

"Henry Ford Under Fire," says  
heading in a contemporary. Back  
head?

Another man is to go round the  
world in a junk. The Empress of  
Britain, on the other hand, is  
taking a lot of junk round the  
world. This should even things  
up.

To-day reminds us that local  
brokers seem to have entirely dis-  
carded their Derbys.

What's all this fuss about danc-  
ing academics? One can see a  
taxi-cab array any day outside the  
G.P.O.

That's the worst of these Army  
abbreviations. We hear of a gal-  
lant officer who was annoyed to  
receive the message—"C.O. may  
G.T.H." It only meant "get the  
house!"

"Thirteen Women" indeed!  
Many a man has found one un-  
lucky!

"Women are now wearing the  
accentuated collar," states a Home  
fashion writer. Some we know  
would be better cuffed!

We've noticed a lot of Testiness  
about the Australians lately.

Races to-day. Yes, in the  
spring a young man's fancy often  
chases home the fief.

"Where do we stand to-day?"  
a reporter asked George Bernard  
Shaw. "In the buses," replied  
Edward Kelly.

"Forged \$100 bank-note." This  
explains why Edward Kelly has  
been looking so worried. He ex-  
pects to have a \$100 bank-note in  
about five years.



"All right, go ahead and make me mad, and I'll go right  
down and order a shampoo and a facial."



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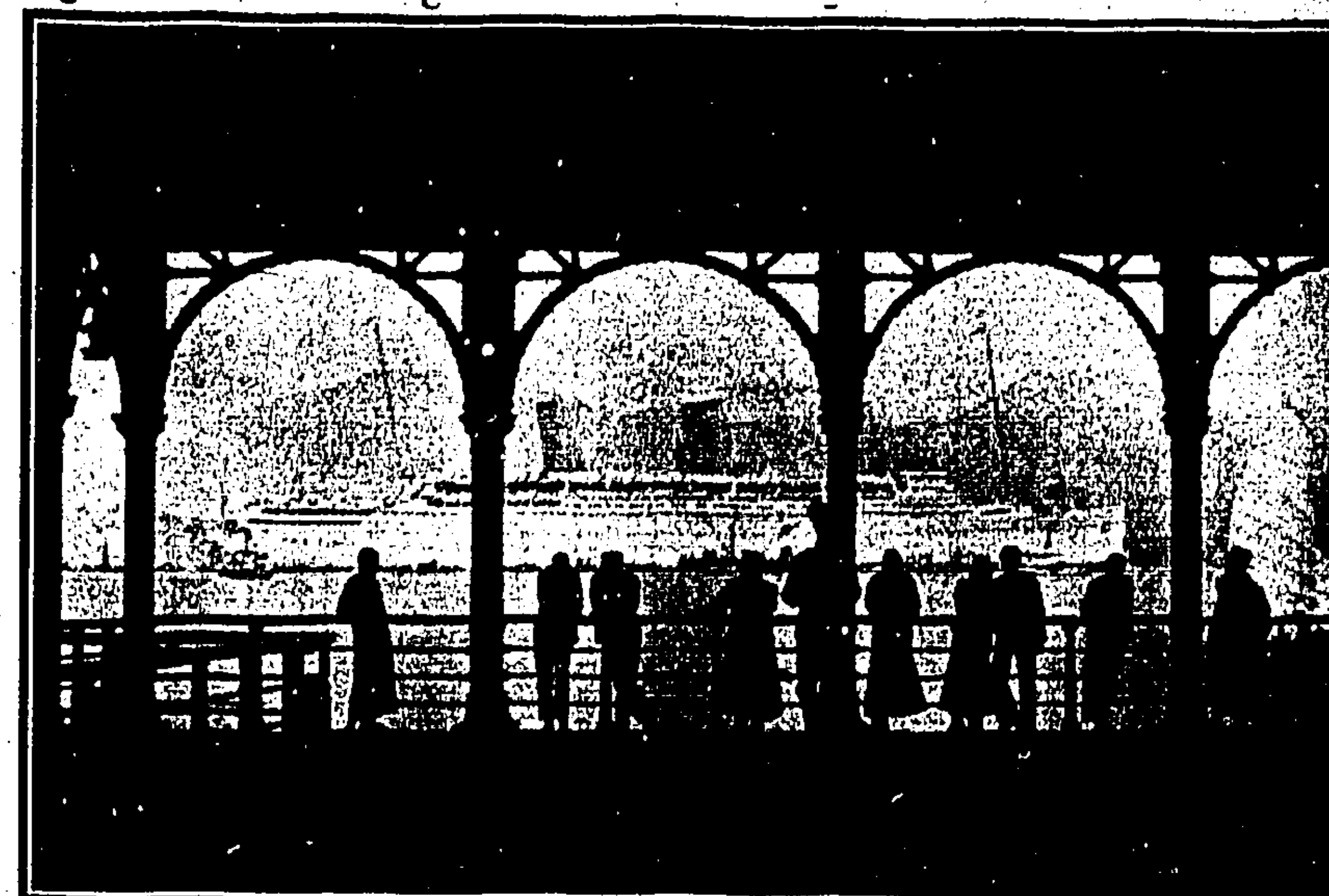
Left to right—Nancy Kerrison, Mac Sayers and Mona Shand, youthful but enthusiastic riding pupils of Mr. R. H. Charles.



Another picture of three young pupils of Mr. Charles, taking a ride in the New Territories.



"Smiles." A happy snapshot taken aboard the well-known yacht "U and I."



An effective picture showing the luxury liner Empress of Britain lying off Queen's Pier during her visit this week. (Photo: Mr. J. C. Grenham).



Members of the Anzac Company of the Volunteer Defence Corps firing at the Peak range on Sunday.



George Bernard Shaw delivering his much-discussed speech at the Hongkong University. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Loch Ryan, winner of the February Steeplechase at Fanling. Mr. Schreiber was the jockey. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Three of Mr. Charles' young pupils are seen in this photograph with Mr. W. Pay, the well-known Chinese jockey.



A recent visitor to Hongkong was Mr. E. H. Lewis, the curator of the Catalina Island bird park, California. He is shown above with two of his pets. Mr. Lewis has presented several birds to the aviary at the local Botanic Gardens.



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## PICTORIAL SUPPLEMENT

SATURDAY, February 18th, 1933.

### BEAUTIFUL SILKS FOR SPRING

THE BOMBAY SILK STORE  
2—D'AGUILAR ST.—2



The remarkable ivory carving illustrated above, which is being exhibited at Komor & Komor's showrooms, reveals Chinese art at its highest. Standing two feet high, the figure is one of the triumphs of the Chien Lung Dynasty.



Putting the finishing touches to red lacquer stools which will form part of a set, with a replica of a Chien Lung throne, being sent from Peking to the Chicago World Fair.



Making beautiful silk rugs, after designs copied from examples in the Palace Museum of the Forbidden City in Peking, which are to be sent to the Chicago Fair.



His Excellency the Governor snapped having tea at the Fanling Races on Sunday. (Photo: Pictorial Review).



Here are the teams which took part in the annual soccer match between the foreign and Chinese staffs of Lane Crawford, Ltd. The former won by three goals to nil. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Mr. Donald Anderson, graduate of Hongkong University and well-known interport cricketer, who has left for England to continue his studies. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Group taken at Mr. Chan Lim-pak's residence at a reception given to General Tsai Ting-kai, who is seated in middle row fourth from right. (Photo: Yim Fong).



A typical bookstall scene in a street at Peking during Chinese New Year.



No, these are not beads. They are strings of dried apples being sold by a street vendor in Peking.



Mr. Bernard Shaw at "Idlewild," Sir Robert Ho Tung's residence. Left to right: Mrs. Shaw, Major Ho Tung, Sir Robt. Ho Tung, Mrs. Simpson, Mr. Shaw, Professor Simpson and Lady Ho Tung. (Photo: A. Fong).



Miss Master on Country Club, winner of the Ladies' Race at Fanling. (Photo: Pictorial Review).



Mr. Jordan on Bay of Calamity, which won the Fox Hunters Light-weight Cup at Fanling. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Photo shows the team from the Anzac Company of the Volunteer Defence Corps which won the Machine-Gun Competition. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



## SHANGHAI WAR TRAGEDY

### NAVAL MEMORIAL SERVICE

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Shanghai, Feb. 18. Memorial services were held yesterday at the Hungjiao Cemetery by Captain Drew, the commander of H.M.S. Suffolk and officers of the ship, together with a detachment of sailors, in commemoration of the deaths of Able Seaman H. A. Francis and Able Seaman H. G. Prior, who were on duty on Hongkew Wharf when a Chinese three-inch shell, aimed at a P. and O. steamer, exploded.

They were the first foreign fatalities in the Shanghai "War." Their shipmates aboard the Suffolk were greatly grieved by their loss and laid wreaths on their graves yesterday to show that they have not forgotten.

## U.S. ATTITUDE

### MR. ROOSEVELT TO DECIDE POLICY

Washington, Feb. 18. The State Department indicates that a decision as to participation of the United States on the League's Conciliation Committee appointed in connexion with the Sino-Japanese crisis will be left to President-Elect Roosevelt.

Senator Swanson, who will probably be the next Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, says the League Report is too delicate to allow comment now.

"It is premature to announce any Manchurian policy in advance of the new President's decision," he declared.

## NEW MORATORIUM FOR GERMANY

### BANK "STANDSTILL" AGREEMENT.

Berlin, Feb. 17. The standstill agreement in regard to Germany's short-term debts has, after long negotiations, been prolonged for a year from February 28, when the existing agreement expires.

## FIRST ELECTRIC EXPRESS

### BETWEEN LONDON BIRMINGHAM

London, Feb. 17. Britain's first electric express train, called the Armstrong Shell Express, which is running between London and Birmingham in connexion with the British Industries Fair, which opens on Monday follows the route of the first express train to run to London 95 years ago.

The maximum speed attained during the journey is 70 miles hourly, but the schedule allows two hours and seven minutes for the 112 miles journey.

## MOUNT EVEREST EXPEDITION

### LEADERS FLYING TO INDIA

London, Feb. 17. The three Pass Moth aeroplanes piloted by leaders of the British Mount Everest Expedition, which flew from England to Lyons yesterday, continued their journey to India to-day.

They flew to Marseilles this morning and later left for Sarnana in Italy.

## BRITISH RETAIL PRICES

### SLIGHT DECREASE REPORTED

London, Feb. 17. On February 1st, the average level of retail prices of commodities was approximately 41 per cent. above the level of July, 1914, as compared with 42 per cent. one month earlier, and 47 per cent. one year earlier.

## JUNK PIRATED

### SMALL HAUL BY RAIDERS

A piracy on a junk in British waters, between Lung Sha Wan and Kau Sai, in the Kung District, was committed yesterday afternoon by four men who were armed with three revolvers and four daggers.

A shop foki of the Shauiwan district who was on board the junk reported the incident to the Sai Kung police last night. He stated that together with another foki and two women, he had gone to Lung Sha Wan from Sai Kung at 7 a.m. yesterday and there bought 480 catties of dried seaweed.

The junk then went to Kau Sai and when halfway between the two places he saw a small Hoklo boat approaching, with four men on board. The craft drew alongside and the four men boarded the junk, the occupants of which were threatened by the pirates.

A sum of \$10 and four bags of seaweed were stolen by the pirates who later decamped.

## DOLLAR AGAIN RISES

### LOCAL MARKET UNCERTAIN

The Hongkong dollar advanced 1/8th this morning to 1.34d. The local market, however, is still uncertain, and banks are only doing business against cover.

In London, silver rose 1/8th. China bought and India sold. After the official fixing, the market ruled firm on further buying and absence of sellers.

New York reports silver up 1/8th, and the cross-rate has advanced to 3.44 1/2.

## PRINCESS CHENG

### GIVES BIRTH TO DAUGHTER IN LONDON

London, Feb. 17. Princess Cheng, sister of Mr. Henry Pu Yi, to-day gave birth to a daughter at the home of Sir Reginald Johnston with whom she and her husband have been staying since they arrived in England on February 15.

Mr. Cheng is a grandson of Cheng Hsiao-hsu, the scholar-Premier of Manchukuo.

## SMALL POX TOLL

### NINE HUNDRED CASES IN BOMBAY

Bombay, Feb. 17. Over nine hundred persons have died of small-pox since the outbreak which began during the second week of December.

During the last four days, 129 cases have been reported.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

LET YOUR LIFE BE COUNTED BY THE MILESTONES OF ACHIEVEMENT AND NOT BY THE TIMEPIECE OF YEARS.—Clara Barton.

It is notified that the name of the Shanghai Kwong Yick Land and Investment Company, Limited, has been struck off the Register.

Three cases of small-pox, two cases of diphtheria, one case of typhoid and two cases of meningitis, were reported to the health authorities on Thursday.

His Excellency the Governor has, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, appointed Mr. M. Henderson to be Director of Public Works.

His Excellency the Governor has, under instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, recognized Mr. Walworth Barbour, provisionally and pending the issue of His Majesty's Exequatur, as Vice-Consul for the United States of America in Hongkong.

A brief report was received from the Sai Kung District of a piracy in British waters between Lung Shuen Wan and Kau Sai at 3.20 p.m. yesterday by an unknown Hoklo boat of about 15 piculs. Four men armed with three revolvers and four daggers are stated to have boarded the craft and to have decamped with \$10 in money and four bags of dried seaweed.

The health bulletin of Eastern ports for the week ended February 11, shows the following cases of infectious diseases and deaths thereof: Plague, Baghdad 1 case, Colombo 4 cases 2 deaths, Cholera, Calcutta 14 cases 8 deaths, Small-pox, Alexandria 301 cases 52 deaths, Basrah 2 cases, Belrut 6 cases, Basrah 2 cases, Bombay 332 cases 104 deaths, Calcutta 322 cases 203 deaths, Karachi 8 cases 3 deaths, Madras 117 cases 24 deaths, Mouleim 1 case, Negapatam 1 case, Rangoon 1 case, Colombo 18 cases 6 deaths, Macao 2 cases 2 deaths, Canton 84 cases.

## THE VOLUNTEERS

### ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK ISSUED

Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps Orders by Colonel L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E., commanding Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Friday, Feb. 17.

(a) Battery.—1. Parade for Signal Section at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m., sharp, on Tuesday, February 21st and Thursday, February 23rd. 2. Parade for whole Battery at 6.30 p.m. on Thursday, February 23rd, at Headquarters.

(b) Engineer Company.—Friday to Sunday, February 17th to 19th Camp at Pakshawan. Monday, February 20th Miniature Range. Thursday, 23rd D. L. Instruction, Wellington Barracks.

(c) Corps Signals.—Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, 23rd February. (d) Armoured Car Section.—There will be no parade on Monday, 20th instant.

(e) Machine Gun Company.—The Company will parade as strong as possible on Friday, 24th February at 5.30 p.m. at Headquarters in muff for revolver drill. No. 4 Platoon will proceed to Kennedy Road Range under Capt. H. Owen-Hughes to fire revolver course.

(f) Scottish Company.—Thursday, 23rd instant. No. 6 Platoon at Kowloon Dock under 2nd Lieut. T. P. Saunders. No. 7 Platoon at Headquarters 5.30 p.m. under 2nd Lieut. A. W. Brown. Machine Gun Instruction. Market. Members who failed to fire Part III at Stonecutters on Sunday last will have an opportunity of firing the course on Sunday, 12th March.

(g) Portuguese Company.—There will be no parade on Tuesday, 21st February. Peak Range. The Peak Range will be available for members of the Company who wish to make use of it on Sunday, 20th February. Range Officer—Lieut. J. V. V. Remedios. Last tram up 8.30 a.m. Fire will commence at 9 a.m.

Platoon Commanders will please obtain definite purposes of attendance from members of their units so that the necessary arrangements may be made for ammunition etc., giving numbers to Lieut. Remedios by Friday the 24th February.

Stonecutters Range. Attention is drawn to the alterations in dates available for firing. Classification Tests. Instead of the dates mentioned in the Corps Diary viz.—March 19th, March 26th, and April 22nd, the Company will have March 6th, and March 10th, (two dates only). Platoon Commanders will please ascertain how the tests will be grouped as to complete both Lewis Gun and Rifle Classification Tests on these two days, and inform O. C. Company at the earliest possible moment.

Transfer. No. 1987 Pte. C. H. Conboy to be transferred to No. 11 Platoon having been posted to No. 12 Platoon in error.

(h) Anzac Company.—The Company will parade in full strength at Corps Headquarters on Thursday, 23rd February, and not on Monday, the 20th February.

(i) The Officers Commanding the unmentioned units will issue their Orders separately to their Companies.

Include:—

1. Machine Gun Troop.

2. Motor Machine Gun Section.

Corps Diary.—Amendments.

(a) Stonecutters Range is allotted to the Portuguese Company on 6th, and 19th March.

(b) All Rifle Casuals will fire on 12th March.

(c) The 26th, March and 2nd April are allotted to Victoria Gun Unit in Machine Gun Company, Motor Machine Gun Section, Armour.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Dr. L. L. Shan-fan to be a Member of the Medical Board, for a term of three years.

His Excellency the Governor has received information from the Secretary of State for the Colonies that Mr. E. Farrell has been appointed Honorary Vice-Consul for Spain in Hongkong.

It is advertised that the Exchange Banks will open at 9.30 a.m., and close at 12 noon for the transaction of public business on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 20th, 21st and 22nd February.

The weddings will shortly take place between Mr. William Scott, marine engineer, c/o Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, and Miss Alice Reid, en route for the Colony per s.s. Chitral; and between Mr. David Lyon, mercantile assistant, c/o Messrs. Jardine Matheson and Co., and Miss Agnes Jane Anderson, residing at Empress Lodge, Kowloon.

Lenten discussions for women will be held by the Bishop of Victoria at the Helena May Institute on Fridays at 10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m., starting from March 3. Subjects are: 1. "The meaning in evil?" 2. "The dangers of conversion?" 3. "Isn't praying taking a mean advantage?" 4. "What happened on Easter Monday?" 5. "Miracles?" 6. "Life after death?" These meetings are open. All women will be welcome.

A decidedly useful motor-car and residential directory has been issued by the Advertising and Publicity Bureau. It gives the names and addresses of local residents, in alphabetical order, with the make and number of cars where residents are car-owners. In another section is a list of cars arranged according to numerical sequence of licence numbers, with owners' names. Motor-cycles are similarly treated. There is also a street directory, and residents of the city districts. Residents' telephone numbers are included in every case, both business and residential. The price of the publication is \$1.

## SALVAGE PLAN

### GOLD FROM THE FRIGATE LUTINE

Amsterdam, Feb. 17. New salvage machinery consisting of an enormous tube, with sucking pipes driven by big engines, has arrived at Terschelling for the new attempt to salvage the buried gold from the frigate Lutine, which was sunk in October, 1799, while £250,000 sterling of gold from the Bank of England to save the Hamburg bankers who were in dire distress.

Many attempts to solve the gold have been made in the past, but hitherto only £100,000 sterling worth has been saved.

The bell of the Lutine, which was salvaged in 1859, is the famous Lutine Bell which hangs at Lloyd's.

It is expected that the salvage will be a simpler job than the salvage of gold from the P. and O. liner Egypt.—Reuter's Special.

## INDIAN OUTLAW

### SURYA SEN CAPTURED IN SHARP ENGAGEMENT

Chittagong, Feb. 17.

A sharp engagement with terrorists at the village of Gairala, near Patiya, 20 miles from Chittagong to-day resulted in the capture of Surya Sen, the alleged brain behind the recent Chittagong attacks on Britons.

The Government had offered 10,000 rupees reward for the capture of Sen.—Reuter.

A bankruptcy notification states that a second and final dividend of \$4.10 per cent. has been declared in the case of the Kwong Meachung, rice merchants, of 48A, Bonham Strand West.

The name of Mr. Lawrence Leong, of Messrs. A. S. Watson and Co., Ltd., has been added to the register of chemists and druggists.

ed Car Section. Applications for these dates must be made to The Adjutant at once.

(d) Members of the Reserve Company are requested to fire on the 12th March or alternatively at the Peak Range on subsequent dates.

Stonecutters Range Standing Orders. Addition.

The attention of Range Officers at Stonecutters is drawn to the following addition:—

"A entry is to be posted on the near corner of the men's Tennis Court when firing is in progress at 500 yds. or 600 yds. to prevent persons crossing the line of fire."

No. 1768 Pte. R. I. Cherrill, Armoured Car Section, appointed Lance Corporal with effect from 17.2.33.

Struck Off The Strength.

Having left the Colony.

No. 92 Sgt. Drummer W. Brown, Scottish Reserve, as from 10.2.33.

No. 21 L/Sgt. F. C. Goodman, Scottish Reserve, as from 10.2.33.

No. 1653 Pte. J. R. Younger, No. 7 Platoon, as from 10.2.33.

Leave.

Lieut. H. Pooley, A.S.C. Cadre, leave extended to 12.5.33.

No. 1782 Pte. E. Quinlan, No. 2 Platoon, granted 6 weeks' sick leave from 1.2.33 to 7.3.33.

Strength.

The following have been taken on the Strength:—

1889 Pte. C. E. Stuart Anzac Company 12.2.33.

1990 Pte. D. Orr Anzac Company 12.2.33.

1991 Tpr. D. A. Cumming Machine Gun Troop 14.2.33.

1992 Tpr. B. C. Allan Machine Gun Troop 14.2.33.

1993 Tpr. F. H. King Machine Gun Troop 14.2.33.

1994 Pte. W. E. Gutierrez No. 11 Platoon 14.2.33.

1995 Pte. L. O. Agabeg No. 11 Platoon 14.2.33.

W. H. G. GOATER, CAPTAIN, Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

Notice.

H.K.V.D. Corps Cricket Fixture.

Sunday, 19th February and Monday, 20th February against Kowloon Cricket Club at K.C.C.

Tuesday, 21st February v. South Wales Bowlers at H.K.C.C. Wednesday, 22nd February v. Royal Navy at H.K.C.C.

Rugby Football Match.

Volunteer v. The Army will be played at Sookunpa ground at 4.30 p.m. on Saturday, 25th February.

Hongkong Rifle League.

Hongkong Rifle Club.

Total 506.

Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

200 500 600

yds. yds. yds. Total

Sgt. Sequeira 20 21 31 98

Corpl. Sailer 25 27 24 76

Spr. Sailer 27 27 27 81

Spr. Smith 25 29 22 76

L/Sgt. Bileiros 19 27 18 64

Pte. Westlake 20 22 17 59

142 168 139 439

Add 10% for open sights 44

483

Police Reserve Emergency Unit.

Total 420.

Rifle Meeting.

A Committee Meeting will be held at Corps Headquarters at 5.45 p.m. on Thursday, 23rd February.

China Command Rifle Meeting.

The China Command Rifle Meeting will be held on Kowloon Rifle Range on the 23rd and 24th February. Entries close on the 25th February. Information with regard to entries from the Corps may be obtained from the Adjutant, or from Lieut. J. H. Bottemley.

## RADIO BROADCAST

### PROGRAMMES FOR THE WEEK-END

From Z.B.W. on wave length of 355 metres (845 k/c.).

4.15-5.45 p.m. (Approx.) A Running Commentary on the Football Match between the Club and Kowloon from the Kowloon Football Field by courtesy of the Kowloon Football Club and the Hong Kong Football Association.

5.45-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-11.30 p.m. European programme.

7-11.30 p.m. Band Music.

A Musical Switch (arr. Alford).

Band of H. H. Coldstream Guards. C 1580

Selection of Leslie Stuart's Songs (arr. Hume).

Band of H. H. Coldstream Guards. C 1583.

7.15 p.m. Selected London and New York Stock Quotations, etc.

7.30-8.15 p.m. Variety.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

Vocal Duet—The Chocolate Soldier—The Chocolate Soldier.

The Chocolate Soldier—Sympathy.

Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham. C 1502.

Chorus—Stephen Foster Melodies.

Nat. Shikret and the Salon Group. C 1517.

Orchestra—Early Ragtime Memories.

Jack Hyton and His Orchestra. C 1533.

Organ Solo—A Musical Trip Around the British Isles.

Reginald Foort. C 2077.

Songs—Plantation Songs.

Paul Robinson (Jazz). C 1555.

8.15-9.00 p.m. Musical Comedy.

Blue Eyes—Selection.

The New Mayfair Orchestra.

This Year of Grace—Selection.

The New Mayfair Orchestra. C 1510.

Sonny Boy. Salon Group.

Lucky Girl—Selection.

New Mayfair Orchestra. C 1613.

Five O'Clock Girl—Selection.

Love Lies—Selection.

New Mayfair Orchestra. C 1658.

Funny Face—Selection.

Virginia—Selection.

New Mayfair Orchestra. C 1588.

Erik Charell's "White Horse Inn"—Selection.

New Mayfair Orchestra. C 2205.

Song of the Drum—Selection.

New Mayfair Orchestra. C 2143.

9.5-9.30 p.m. Instrumental.

Plano Solo—Tango (Albeniz).

Plano Solo—Swearing (Schumann).

Plano Solo—Waltz (Schubert). 1445.

Violin Solo—Slavanka (Wienlawski).

Violin Solo—Poem (Fibich-Kubelik).

Ruth Posselt. 4184.

Simfonietta—Elegia (Tschalkowsky).

The Philadelphia Chamber String Simfonietta. 4151.

Plano Solo—Prelude in A Minor (Debussy).

Plano Solo—Alt-Wien (Godowsky).

Isabelle Yalkowsky. 4115.

9.30-11.30 p.m.

A relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

11.30 p.m. Close Down.



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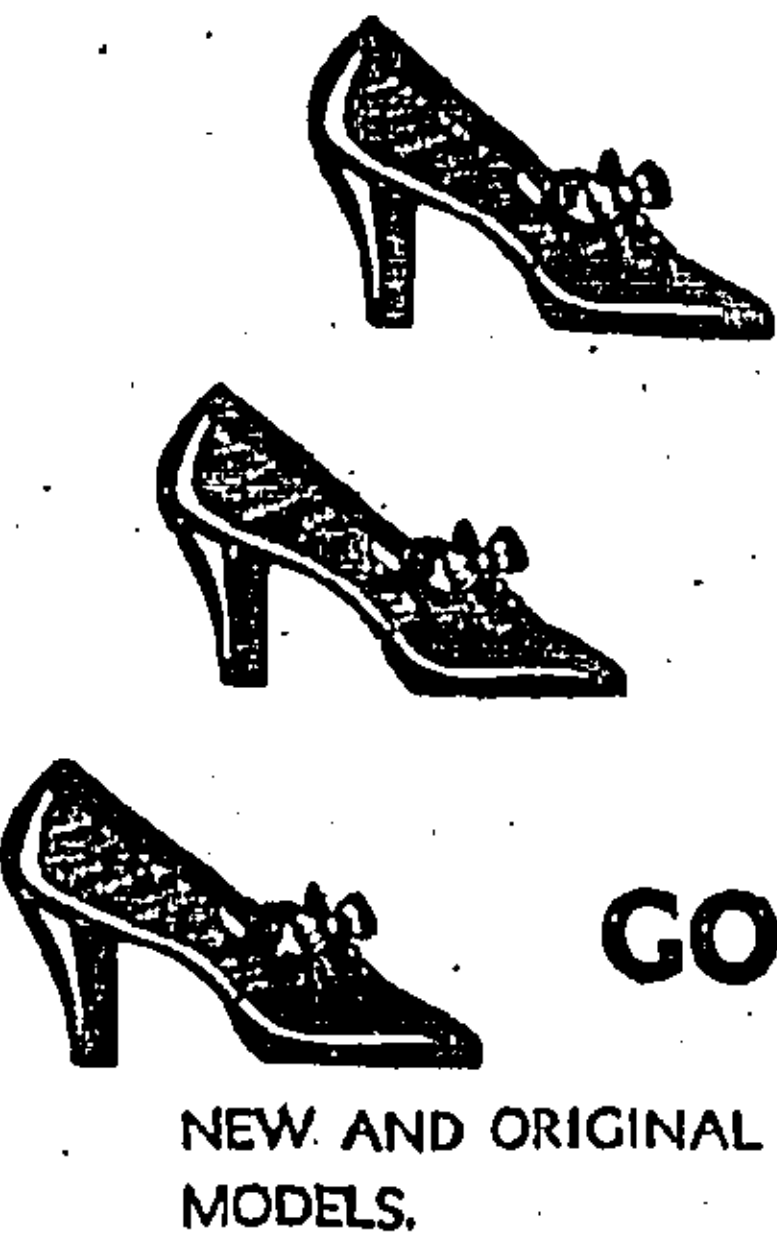
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## "RINGTAIL'S" FINAL SELECTIONS



S. HIRD.

### SID HIRD FOR ENGLAND

#### PLAY IN LANCASHIRE LEAGUE CRICKET

#### LEAVING AUSTRALIA IN MARCH

New South Wales is losing a fine cricketer and Australia a potential Test player, as Sid Hird is going to England to play in the Lancashire League.

At the moment Hird does not know with which club he will play but it will be announced, it is expected later. He will leave Sydney about next March.

Hird is a splendid cricketer who should do well in League cricket. Since the days when he was a school boy his name has often been mentioned as a player with a future, but for some time he scarcely bore out the hopes of his friends. A dash of rashness spoilt his batting but experience has tempered that and last season he became a marked man.

A century score against the South Africans did much to establish him, and this season he has done fine work with bat and ball, taking six wickets for his State against England and routing the Victorians.

He is an all-rounder of definite promise for he can field as well as bat and bowl.

Everyone will regret that Hird is going. Australia can ill afford to lose promising youngsters but he must of course look to the future. Work has not been over-plentiful "Down Under" whereas a player of his quality should earn a first-rate livelihood on the other side of the world. Cricketers will wish the young player the best of luck.

Claude Spencer, who arranged the business with Hird, is one of those chaps who loves cricket and cricketers. Of course, he gets nothing out of it, but, being known to the Lancashire League officials, is asked by them for advice whenever they are looking for a player. Mr. Spencer, in this case, passed on the offer to Hird, who is out of work, and it was accepted.

### AQUATIC SPORTS.

#### New Local Association to Take Charge.

#### INAUGURAL MEETING.

A newly formed local association proposes to take charge of aquatic sports during the coming season, the Hongkong International Amateur Swimming Association having been inaugurated to take the place of the now defunct Hongkong Amateur Swimming Association which wound up owing to financial difficulties.

The inaugural meeting which was held at Lane Crawford's Restaurant was attended by representatives of several local bodies and after the rules had been considered and passed the following were elected as follows: Chairman, Mr. Y. K. Mok; Secretary, Mr. E. W. Ralston; Assistant Secretary, Mr. D. Sutherland; Treasurer, Mr. A. Donn.

It was decided to hold a meeting on Friday, March 3 at Lane Crawford's Restaurant when representatives of affiliated bodies will elect a council and nominate a President and two Vice-Presidents.

### THE FIFTH TEST.

#### Australian Player Not Available.

Melbourne, Feb. 17.  
The Australian cricketer Nagel is unavailable for the fifth Test match which is to be played on February 23, owing to an injured arm.—*Reuter*.

Nagel played in the first Test. He is primarily a bowler.

### MOTOR CYCLING.

#### Club Arranges for All-Day Outing To-morrow.

An all-day motor-biking outing in the New Territories has been arranged for to-morrow by the Hongkong Motor Cycling Club.

Members of the Club and those who wish to participate in the run should meet at the Kowloon Car Park at 9 a.m. to-morrow, bringing their own "cats."



### DERBY CANDIDATES TO WIN

#### BLACK VELVET FOR VALLEY STAKES

#### SPRING MEETING OPENS

"Ringtail's" final selections for to-day's opening of the annual meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club have been made and below will be found his nominees for the twelve events which start off the week's programme.

#### 1st Race

The Gont  
Black Rock  
Iron Grey

#### 2nd Race

Blue Star  
Daylight Eve  
Champaign Bay

#### 3rd Race

Con Co Bay  
Tenorio  
Mignonette

#### 4th Race

Valley Hall  
Bannjolina  
Cy-Pres

#### 5th Race

Portia  
Ration  
Rory Morn

#### 6th Race

Liberty Bay  
Hetman  
Gay Crusader

#### 7th Race

Black Velvet  
Hay Tor  
Springfield

#### 8th Race

Trentbridge  
Magnolia  
Per-se

#### 9th Race

Cyclamen Bay  
King's Bounty  
Bag and Baggage

#### 10th Race

The Grasso  
Lucy Giltiers  
Evening Star

#### 11th Race

Brechin  
The Gooit  
The Roundhead

#### 12th Race

Diana Bay  
Sadko  
Don

### WRESTLING CHALLENGE

#### "Tiger" Daula Wants Bout in Hongkong

"Tiger" Daula of India, claimant for the world's heavy-weight wrestling title, has just arrived in Hongkong from his wrestling tour in the United States and Canada, and through the *Telegraph* is challenging anybody of any nationality in Hongkong to a wrestling bout. Daula, who is a six-footer, and weighs 235 pounds, had a remarkably successful tour of the West and achieved no less than 161 victories.

He has superb muscular development, and has imbued both the Indian and American style of wrestling and holds. Anybody wishing to challenge him should get in touch with Karter S. Garohn, through the *Hongkong Telegraph*.

**A BROKEN DOWN SYSTEM.**  
This is a condition for which many names are given but few really understand. It is simply weakness—a break down as it were, of the vital forces that sustain the system. No matter what may be its cause, it is almost universal. Its symptoms are much the same: the more prominent being sleeplessness, sense of prostration or weakness, depression of spirits and want of energy for all the ordinary affairs of life. Now, what alone is essential in such cases is increased vitality—vital strength and energy to throw off these morbid influences, and as this is secured by a course of **THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY, THERAPION NO. 3**

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### COMMISSION ON TECHNOCRACY

#### APPOINTMENT IN NEW YORK

Recognising at least tacitly the general interest in the technocracy group, which is charting the effects of technological unemployment, and which has brought about its head much criticism against where the group is working, Dr. Nicholas M. Butler, President of Columbia University, has announced the appointment of a Commission of economists and publicists to "consider the whole question of the effect of recent technological advance, particularly as manifested in mass production, its effect on economic processes and social welfare."

The announcement does not mention the technocracy group, and the commission does not include any of its members, but it is regarded in some quarters as designed to answer the criticisms which some theories of the technocrats have brought upon the University.

#### Six-fold Programme.

Mr. Butler announces a sixfold programme for the Commission's inquiry, including:

(1) The part which the price system is playing in the direction of production.

(2) An analysis of the relationship between income, investment, and production within the present system.

(3) Examination of the feasibility of price control to maintain stability both of internal prices and international exchange.

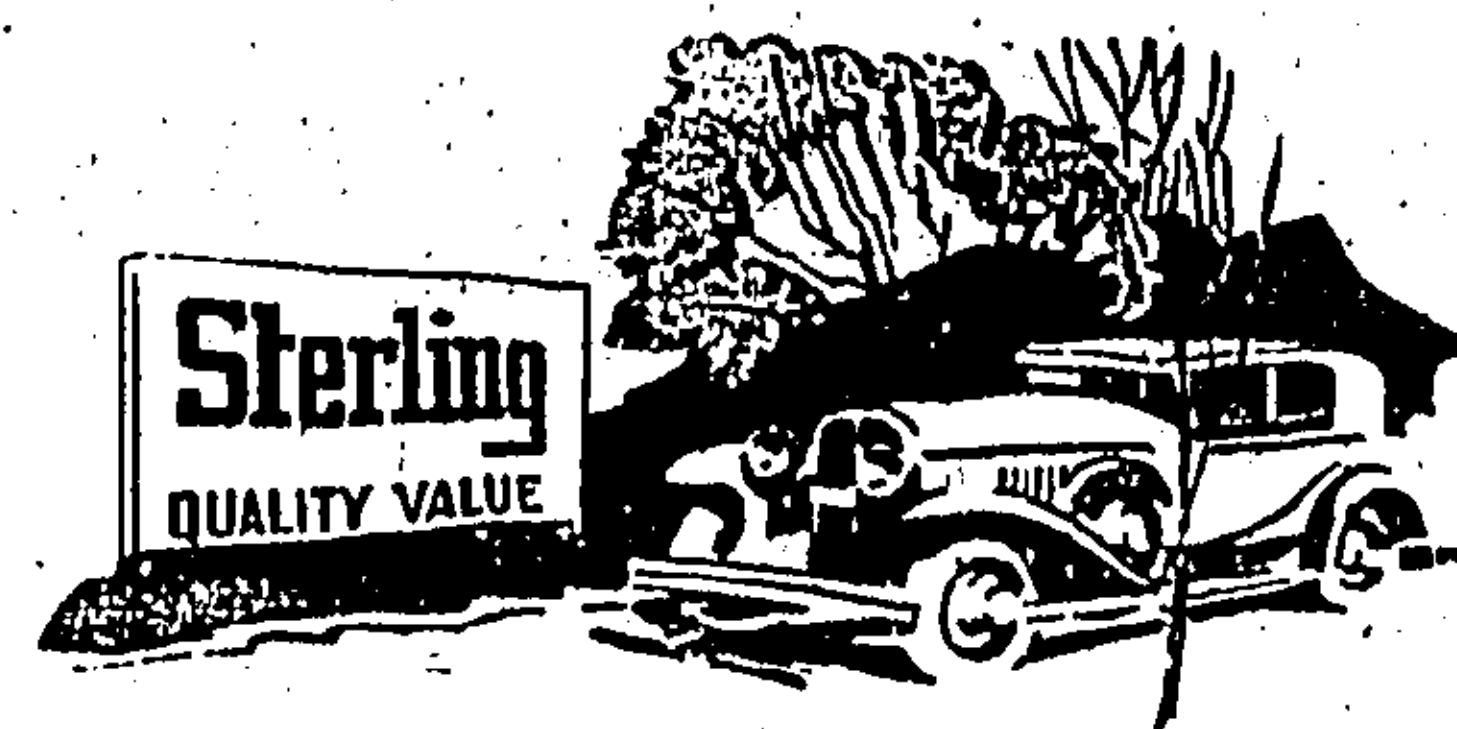
(4) Examination of the adequacy of the present monetary systems under modern industrial conditions.

(5) Examination of the economic consequences of the improvement of productive technique.

(6) Formulation of policies from a survey of the foregoing problems.

Headed by Mr. Robert H. Maciver, Professor of Philosophy at Columbia University, the Commission includes ten other Professors, and such publicists and economists as Mr. Edmund D. Y. of Rockefeller Foundation; Mr. Walter Lippmann, Journalist; Mr. Benjamin Anderson, of the Chase National Bank; and Mr. George Soule, of the "New Republic."

Mr. Butler says the inquiry will deal particularly with the difficulties arising from the fact that the technique of exchange have evolved semi-independently and are not now functioning harmoniously.

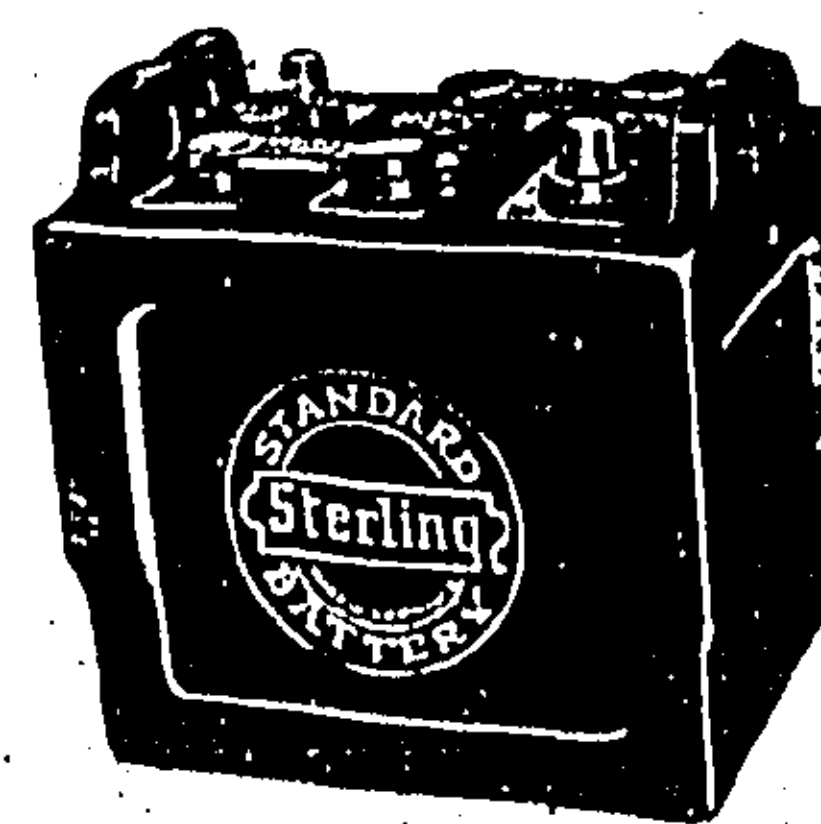


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Mr. Attwood stated that an English professor worked technocracy all out in 1928. "It was exported to America," he said, "and after acquiring a reputation over there we become interested in it again. I think that the present version should, therefore, be called 'Americocracy.'"

The idea was that machines

## SHORTHAND KNOWN TO THE ANCIENTS

PRACTISED IN DAYS OF CICERO

Lord Metson, the new President of the Pitman Fellowship, speaking at a dinner in London in celebration of the 120th anniversary of the birth of Sir Isaac Pitman, said that shorthand was in no sense a modern invention.

It was practised by the ancient Greeks. A friend of Cicero had a highly developed system, of which fragments survived and shorthand came into great request when the Christian martyrs were being tried for their lives in Rome.

There was the orthographic hand which Pepsys, the diarist, practised. It was in the middle of last century that the modern phonetic system was developed.

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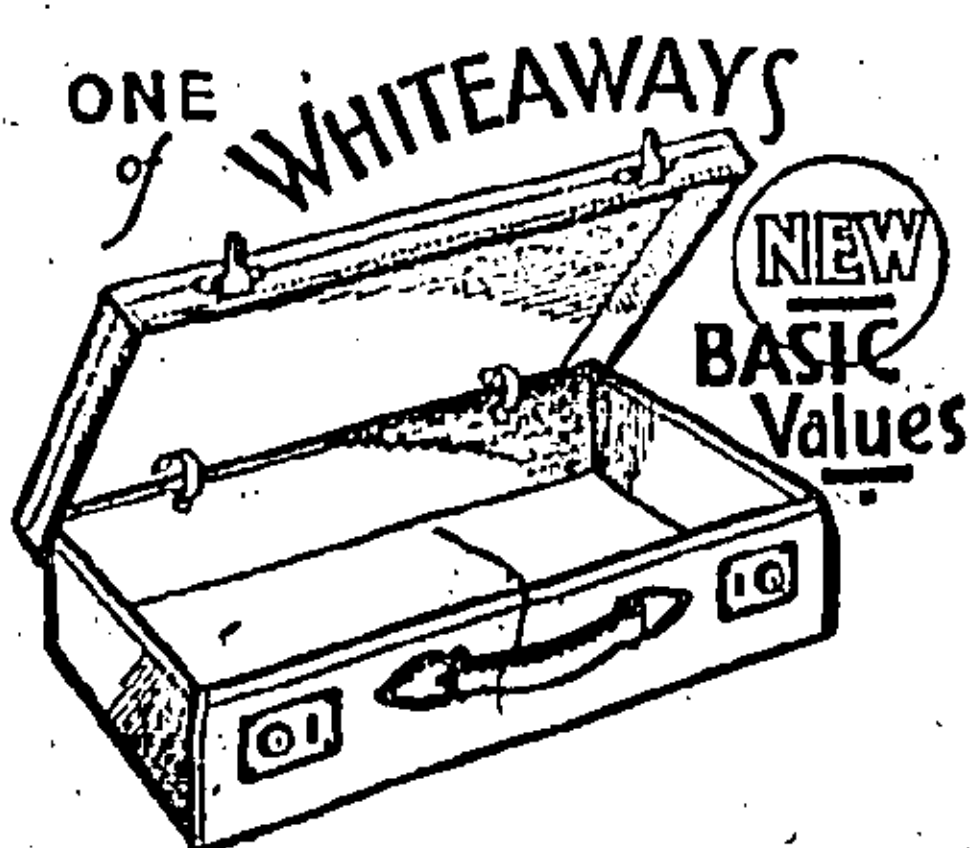
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From MARSEILLES &c.

Consignees of Cargo by the above  
named steamer are hereby informed  
that their goods with the exception of  
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Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd.,  
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obtained as the goods are landed.  
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at 10.00 a.m. on Monday, the 20th  
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the goods have left the Godowns.  
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R. OHL,  
Agent.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1933.

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#### GRANTS OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

In connexion with the estate of  
Kwan Kik-ah alias Kwan Cheuk-chuen  
alias Kwan Wo-sang alias Kwan Wu  
Sang-tong, a retired merchant, late  
of 11, Hing Hon Road, and who died  
on August 15, 1932, leaving estate  
under \$71,400, letters of  
administration have been granted to  
his widow, Kwan Li-shi, and Kwan  
Wong-shi and Kwan Leung-shi, his  
two concubines.

Application for re-sealing of the  
exemplification of probate of the will  
of Look Yan-ki alias Luk Tau-nam  
alias Sen Yip-long, who died at his  
residence, 29, Upper Pickering Street,  
Singapore, on July 11, 1931, leaving  
estate valued at \$39,600, has been  
granted to Mr. D. L. Strollett, on  
behalf of Low Sang-foon, Look Chun-  
heung, Look Chun-kwan and Look Chun-  
heung, all of Singapore.

Lung Lam (for Loong Lam) alias  
Lung Koo-lam alias Lam Lung (for  
Loong), a Chief-Chinese Revenue  
Officer, late of 22, Tung Street, left  
estate valued at \$17,000. Letters of  
administration to the estate have  
been granted to deceased's younger  
brother, Wing de-cho, and his wife,  
widow and concubine having  
renounced letters of administration.

Letters of administration with the  
will annexed to the \$11,000 estate of  
Kwan Ku alias Kwan Kui-kin alias  
Kwan Fat-hoi, late of 71, Bonham  
Strand, have been granted to his son,  
Kwan Koo-nam.

Mrs. Hilda Marion Lintott, late of  
Barham Glebe, Claydon, Ipswich, in  
the county of Suffolk, and formerly  
of Colombo, Ceylon, who died at the  
Burlington Nursing Home, Ipswich,  
on April 23, 1932, left estate valued  
at \$7,700. Application for the re-  
sealing of a sealed copy of the pro-  
bate of the will and codicil has been  
granted to Mr. G. G. N. Tinson for  
deceased's husband, Lieut. A. J. C.  
Lintott, of Barham Glebe, Ipswich.

### SHAW IN SHANGHAI

#### AIMS HIS SHAFTS AT IRELAND

Shanghai, Feb. 17.  
Leaving for Woonung early this  
morning, Madame Sun Yat-sen  
breakfasted with Bernard Shaw on  
the Empress of Britain. Mr. Shaw  
landed early this afternoon and  
motored to Mr. Sun Yat-sen's residence  
where he chatted with Madame  
Sun Yat-sen.

News agency and newspaper  
correspondents scoured the town for  
him and eventually traced and  
besieged him there.

Interviewed by Reuters this after-  
noon, Mr. Shaw indulged in his  
usual provocative and unexpected  
remarks. Aligning himself with  
Jesus, John of Arc and Socrates,  
Mr. Shaw declared that if the  
people of the world knew what he  
was driving at they would sum-  
marily exterminate him. He had  
no set views on anything except  
Socialism.

Mr. Shaw wanted to know "what  
that fellow de Valera is?" He had  
heard he was a Filipino who had  
got tired of the tropics so he  
started something hot in the  
Emerald Isle. de Valera had no  
improved conditions in Ireland but  
perhaps this was due to the  
age-old Irish custom of electing  
50 men to govern the country and  
then appointing 50 more to pre-  
vent them governing.

Mr. Shaw was disgusted with  
the ridiculous opposition to Com-  
munist in every country he had  
visited. The so-called Com-  
munist in China were not Com-  
munist but pirates who looted  
their fellowmen. *Reuters' Morning  
Post Special.*

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11th Mar. Genoa, B'celona, L'bon, A'dam, R'dam, H'burg, B'm.

23rd Mar. M'iles, Oran, A'dam, R'dam, H'burg, B'm.

18th Mar. Genoa, Rotterdam, Hamburg.

4th Apr. Genoa, B'celona, R'dam, H'burg.

7th Apr. Genoa, M'iles, Oran, A'dam, R'dam, H'burg, Bremen.

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### CINEMA SCREENINGS

#### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

The business of being funny is  
serious work to Olsen and Johnson,  
the well known stage and screen  
managers of "monkey business," who  
have featured comedy roles in "Fifty  
Million Frenchmen," the Warner Bros.  
and Vitaphone Technicolor laugh  
special which is opening to-day at the  
Queen's Theatre. They work hard to  
make other people laugh than  
most folks do in an effort to make  
their first million dollars or meet the  
next payment on the radio. Their  
constant quest for new gags, funny  
situations, and comedy lines, even  
surpasses the earnestness of a stock  
exchange floor operator trying to un-  
load on a falling market with two  
minutes to go before the exchange  
closes. Their mobile comedienne  
assume a rigid seriousness when work-  
ing over a comedy situation which  
later will throw huge audiences into  
rings of laughter. On the stage or  
screen, everyone will agree that Olsen  
and Johnson are a singularly merry  
and successful comedy team. They are  
if business, constantly inventing new  
laughs, thinking up funny ideas, and  
observing comic occurrences that  
happen to them and other people  
every day. Both carry a pad and  
pencil and jot down any funny things  
that come to mind or that they ob-  
serve. When they have time, they  
rehearse. And in rehearsal their  
faces resemble those of a board of  
directors trying to squeeze out a  
dividend when the books fail to show  
a profit. Their next step is to try out  
the gag on a willing person or group  
of persons. If the previous audience  
outs their stamp of approval on it  
with responsive laughter, they use it.  
Even while making "Fifty Million  
Frenchmen," in which they play two  
detectives of doubtful detecting  
ability, Olsen and Johnson tried out  
many of their comedy lines and  
situations on members of the cast and  
crew before recording them. Others  
in the cast of "Fifty Million French-  
men" were William Gaxton, John  
Halliday, Helen Broderick, Claudia  
Dell, Nat Carr, Vera Gordon and  
Lester Crawford.

#### "Six Hours To Live"

"Six Hours To Live," which gives  
Walter Baxter, the most dramatic  
role of his career on the screen, will  
be the film feature on the King's  
Theatre's programme starting to-  
morrow. Sharing top-line honours  
with Baxter are John Boles and  
Miriam Jordan, the latter a beautiful  
young English actress who makes  
her screen debut in this Fox Film  
production. George Marion, Irene  
Ware and Beryl Mercer are also in  
the cast. "Six Hours To Live" was  
adapted by Bradley King from the  
original story, "Auf Wiedersehen," by  
Gordon Morris and Morton Barau.  
The picture is a drama with a dramatic  
episode on international history, in  
which Baxter, as the representative  
of a small republic, successfully  
prevents an attempt of plotters to  
ruin his country and plunge the world  
into another disastrous war. The  
picture is a masterpiece of accomplish-  
ment. Baxter's death and are prepared  
to go through with their nefarious  
scheme, when he re-appears, the hard-  
ly death miraculously stayed for  
four by the discovery of an eccentric  
Id scientist, enacted by au-  
tism Jordan, in her debut, displays  
usual promise and she already has  
been hailed as a real "discovery".  
She has played for several years at  
the London and New York stages  
supporting such stars as Herbert  
Marshall, Edna Best and Phil  
Haverly. William Dieterle, famed  
German-American director, produce  
his picture.

#### "Laugh and Get Rich"

That dynamic little blonde comed-  
ienne, Dorothy Lee, has made her  
first venture in pictures away from  
her original sponsors, Bert Wheeler  
and Robert Woolsey. After entering  
films with them in "Rio Rita," an  
appearing in every one of their  
successes up to and including "Crack-  
ed Nuts," six in all—she is now  
appearing in Radio Pictures' "Laugh  
and Get Rich," opening on Tuesday  
the Queen's Theatre, with Edna  
Haverly. "Laugh and Get Rich"  
is heralded as an intensely  
human story of contrasting small-  
town and city life, and the principal  
feminine role is particularly adapted  
to Miss Lee. Opposite her, in the  
romance is Russell Glennon. Radio

### CASE STOPPED.

#### WITNESSES FAIL TO SATISFY MAGISTRATE

On account of unsatisfactory  
evidence by people from the shop,  
a case yesterday in which W. J.  
Clarke, a seaman of H.M.S. Protos,  
was accused of stealing a watch  
worth \$3 from a Wanchai shop-  
keeper, was abruptly stopped and  
the defendant acquitted.

Chan Cheuk-wa, an accountant of  
the Kwong Loi, 38 Queen's Road  
East, stated that Clarke came in  
with another sailor, and after  
asking to be shown a watch, passed  
it to his companion who walked out  
with it. Because Clarke had prom-  
ised payment he was held as res-  
ponsible.

Cross-examined by Mr. R. A.  
Wadson, on behalf of Clarke, wit-  
nesses, who had previously said he  
had Clarke searched by the police,  
admitted that he was not sure that  
the watch had changed hands.  
Witness finally admitted he did not  
see the alleged act.

Evidence given by another folk  
from the shop also proved unsatis-  
factory, and without making any  
comment, Mr. Wynne-Jones ordered  
the second man from the witness-  
box and discharged the defendant.

### P.C. ACQUITTED.

#### DELAY IN ARREST LEADS TO MISCONDUCT CHARGE

After a long hearing, Wong  
Man, a Cantonese policeman, who  
was accused of misconduct, was  
acquitted yesterday afternoon.

On January 14, P. C. Wong  
Man stopped a woman in the  
street and after finding 20 taels  
of contraband opium on her,  
told a man who was accompany-  
ing her to carry the drug to a  
cave, later granting the man  
facilities for establishing contact  
with his relatives for the purpose  
of raising the Police bail required.  
In the interim of waiting for the  
money, the man was taken to a  
house in Circular Pathway. There  
he was subsequently discovered by  
other police.

The misconduct mentioned in the  
charge was that of delaying bring-  
ing the prisoners to the Police  
Station.

After the defence had been con-  
cluded by Mr. F. H. Losoby yester-  
day, Mr. Schofield found the case  
inconclusive and acquitted the de-  
fendant.

Officials offered to star Miss Lee in a  
picture prior to the filming of "Laugh  
and Get Rich," but she talked them  
out of the notion. She wanted to get  
a little more experience before  
entering into stardom—less than  
two years after her entry into films  
from New York musical comedy.  
And not more than two years before,  
as a high school girl dancing with  
"Anchors and Marco in Los Angeles,  
"Miss Lee tried in vain to "crash" the  
very studio at which she soon is to be  
starred.

#### "Hat Check Girl"

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representative picture of New York  
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this realism lies in the fact that the  
director, Sidney Lanfield, and every  
"romantic" member of the cast has  
lived in New York and thus knows  
the city and its atmosphere at first  
hand. Lanfield was prominent in  
Broadway musical circles before  
turning his attention to the screen  
and the original novel was written  
by a Brooklyn columnist, Rian James.  
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ledge is said to make the production  
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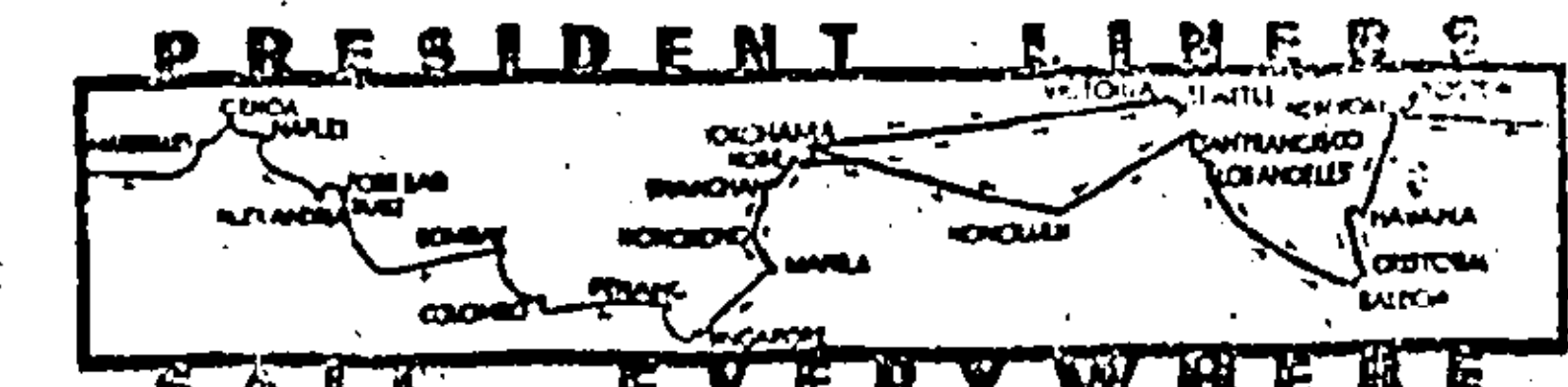
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## TOBACCO PREFERENCE NEW ORDER BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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Excepting for a slight increase in respect of cigarettes, the duties on non-Empire products remain unaltered.

#### EMPIRE ORIGIN DEFINED

For the purpose of the resolution, tobacco is deemed to be of "Empire Origin" if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports to have been grown and consigned from the British Empire, which for the purposes of this Table shall be deemed the United Kingdom, the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, the Irish Free State, Newfoundland, India including Burma, any British Colony, any territory under His Majesty's protection, the Mandated territories of Tanganyika, or Cameroons under British Mandate, or Togoland under British Mandate.

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#### NEW DUTIES.

The revised table of duties, per pound weight, is as follows:

- Unmanufactured Tobacco.
- (1) If unstripped:
    - (a) containing 10 pounds or more moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof:
      - I. If of Empire Origin 60 cents.
      - II. Other tobacco 70 cents.
    - (b) containing less than 10 pounds of moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof:
      - I. If of Empire Origin 75 cents.
      - II. Other tobacco 70 cents.
  - (2) If stripped:
    - (a) containing 10 pounds or more of moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof:
      - I. If of Empire Origin 76 cents.
      - II. Other tobacco 84 cents.
    - (b) containing less than 10 pounds of moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof:
      - I. If of Empire Origin 84 cents.
      - II. Other tobacco 93 cents.
- Manufactured Tobacco:
- (1) Cigars:
    - I. If of Empire Origin & manufacture \$1.60.
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  - (2) Cigarettes:
    - I. If of Empire Origin & manufacture \$0.81.
    - II. If of Empire manufacture only \$0.90.
    - III. Other Cigarettes \$0.99.

## LEAGUE PUBLISHES REPORT

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the same article. The Report is a lengthy document of some 15,000 words.

The Assembly recommends the evacuation of Japanese troops with the Negotiations Committee charged, as its first object, to organize the evacuation and determine the stages and the time limits thereof.

#### NEW REGIME.

It is further recommended that there should be established in Manchuria, within a reasonable time, an organization under the sovereignty of and compatible with the administrative integrity of China, which would provide a wide measure of autonomy in harmony with local conditions and respect the rights and interests of Japan and any third party.

As has already been reported, the recommendations provide for the Negotiating Committee to be set up after China and Japan have accepted the recommendations, the United States and Russia being invited to participate.

The League Assembly will meet on Tuesday to take note of the failure of conciliation, and on Friday, it will be asked to accept the report and recommendations which it will undoubtedly do.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

- (3) Other manufactured tobacco, including snuff and cigar cuttings:
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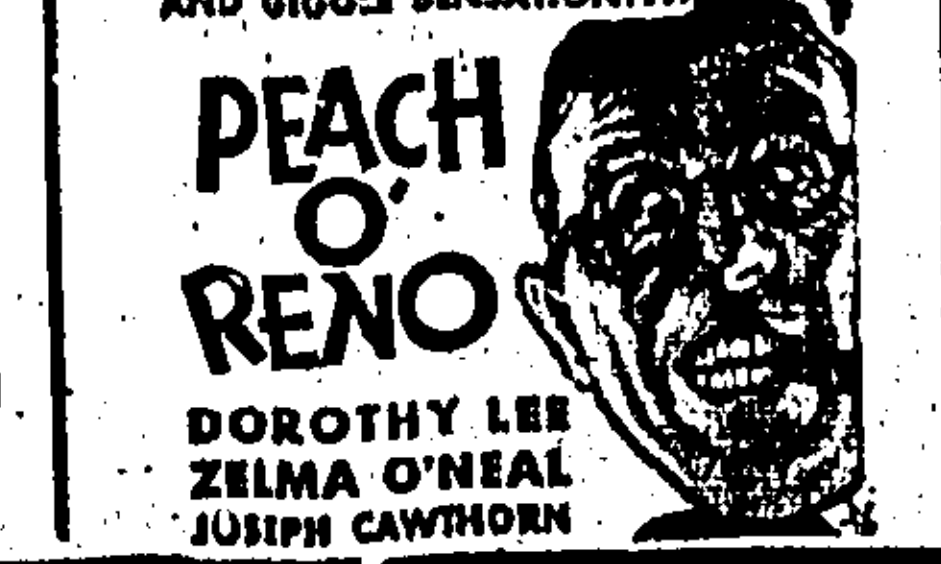
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